

Weather

Experiment Station report for 24 hours ending at 7: a.m. Wednesday: High 62; Low 31; precipitation, none.

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ARKANSAS — Fair tonight and partly cloudy Thursday. Cold again tonight and a little colder Thursday. Low tonight 26-34 north and 34-40 south. High Thursday 48-58.

LOUISIANA — Mostly cloudy and continued rather cold through Thursday. Scattered light rain south portion tonight and Thursday. Low tonight 32-40 north and 38-46 south portions. High Thursday 42-56.

Weather Elsewhere

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| Albany, cloudy | 50 | 35 | .05 |
| Albuquerque, clear | 65 | 36 | |
| Atlanta, cloudy | 45 | 34 | |
| Bismarck, snow | 34 | 0 | |
| Boise, cloudy | 46 | 40 | .12 |
| Boston, cloudy | 54 | 43 | .46 |
| Buffalo, cloudy | 37 | 27 | |
| Chicago, cloudy | 40 | 34 | |
| Cincinnati, clear | 33 | 30 | .21 |
| Cleveland, snow | 36 | 34 | .40 |
| Denver, clear | 61 | 25 | |
| Des Moines, cloudy | 42 | 32 | |
| Detroit, cloudy | 36 | M | |
| Fairbanks, clear | -11 | -17 | |
| Fort Worth, clear | 66 | 43 | |
| Helena, cloudy | 39 | 16 | .03 |
| Honolulu, cloudy | 84 | 69 | |
| Indianapolis, cloudy | 35 | 33 | |
| Jacksonville, cloudy | 56 | 39 | |
| Juneau, clear | 31 | 18 | |
| Kansas City, cloudy | 50 | 34 | |
| Los Angeles, clear | 74 | 57 | |
| Louisville, cloudy | 34 | 32 | |
| Memphis, cloudy | 52 | 38 | |
| Miami, clear | 67 | 52 | |
| Milwaukee, cloudy | 37 | 30 | |
| Mpls.-St. P., clear | 35 | 12 | |
| New Orleans, cloudy | 61 | 37 | |
| New York, clear | 46 | 35 | |
| Okla. City, clear | 60 | 40 | |
| Omaha, cloudy | 44 | 20 | |
| Philadelphia, cloudy | 43 | 32 | |
| Phoenix, clear | 78 | 44 | |
| Pittsburgh, snow | 29 | 28 | .22 |
| Ptmd, Me., clear | 48 | 40 | .35 |
| Ptmd, Ore., cloudy | 53 | 48 | .43 |
| Rapid City, snow | 52 | 11 | T |
| Richmond, cloudy | 45 | 32 | .02 |
| St. Louis, cloudy | 49 | 34 | |
| Salt Lk. City, clear | 46 | 33 | .04 |
| San Diego, clear | 68 | 53 | |
| San Fran., cloudy | 64 | 56 | |
| Seattle, rain | 49 | 47 | .71 |
| Tampa, cloudy | 64 | 50 | |
| Washington, cloudy | 45 | 33 | |
| Winnipeg, clear | 29 | -11 | .34 |

(M—Missing); (T—Trace)

Fish is Fooler

The giant kelpfish camouflages itself against its enemies by swimming horizontally up and down in line with plants and may even wait its tail back and forth to simulate the movements of the blades.

China's Bid for UN Seat Is Beaten Off

By TOM HOGE
UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP) — The U.N. General Assembly's rejection of both the bid to seat Peking and the proposal to seek a compromise solution of the issue of China's representation has dealt a severe blow to advocates of a two-China policy.

The 62-34 defeat Tuesday of the Italian plan to turn the China problem over to a U.N. study group virtually doomed chances of any two-China formula now, since that was viewed as the goal of the proposed study.

The decision of the United States to support the Italian plan had been viewed as a major shift by Washington toward the two-China idea. But the poor showing Peking made in this year's vote and the lack of support for the Italian proposal was expected to prompt a U.S. reappraisal of a solution it did not relish.

The results of the balloting came as a general surprise. Peking had been given virtually no chance of winning a seat under the two-thirds majority rule, but few expected it to emerge 11 votes behind the Nationalists.

Supporters of Red China blamed the defeat on Peking's own attitude, pressure from the United States and the "quality" of new African governments.

"The United States put on great pressure at every capital, including my own," said Ambassador S.O. Adebisi of Nigeria, who favored Peking. "With new countries and poor countries economic pressure is a great weapon, and the United States has used it effectively."

Ambassador Marof Achkar of Guinea, a cosponsor with Albania of the resolution to seat Peking, said the results reflected "the quality of the governments" that have come to power in Africa as a result of coups d'etat. Some new nations in the United Nations voted against Peking "because they wanted to please the United States," he said.

Uncertainty over the significance of the purge going on inside China and the worsening dispute between Moscow and Peking were also believed to have had an effect.

The United States and other opponents of the Chinese Reds expressed belief the emphasis the Albanian resolution placed on its demand to expel the Nationalists helped defeat it.

Built Hotel

The Imperial hotel in Tokyo, the only building that offered safety in the violent earthquake in that city in 1923, was built by the world-famous U.S. architect, Frank Lloyd Wright, at the invitation of the imperial household of Japan.

Kiwanis Club Speaker



— Henry Haynes photo with Star Camera

JOE HARRISON

Joe Harrison of the Social Security Agency of Texarkana, told Hope Kiwanis Club Tuesday that 3200 Hempstead County citizens were drawing \$172,000 per month in benefits. This is slightly more than 2 million dollars per year, and does not include medicare payments.

Michigan Digs Out of Snowstorm

LUDINGTON, Mich. (AP) — Destructive arctic winds howled southward today as Michigan and other Great Lakes states dug out from the season's first major snowstorm.

The Weather Bureau warned a six-state area from Montana to northern Nebraska of a cold wave today as frigid air spread over the north central states.

Eight German seamen were rescued Tuesday night from a stricken ship in storm-whipped Lake Huron off the eastern Michigan coast. Moments after a Coast Guard helicopter plucked the crewmen from the Nordmeer, a steel-laden vessel aground since Nov. 19, the ship broke apart.

Five hundred feet off the western Michigan coast, at Ludington, 181 persons rode out the storm for the second night aboard the stranded car ferry City of Midland 41. Driven aground early Monday, the car ferry awaited arrival of a tugboat that left Sturgeon Bay, Wis., today and headed across Lake Michigan to pull the vessel off a sandbar.

A rescue force battled through five-foot snow drifts Tuesday

At Ludington, the car ferry was reported out of danger during the storm, although the winds prevented vessels from taking off the passengers. A Coast Guard cutter delivered fresh food to the car ferry Tuesday night, transferring the provisions on a line slung between the two ships.

Mr. Harrison reviewed latest amendments to the Social Security law, and then answered questions from the floor on other phases of the program. John Lester was introduced as a new member, and M. C. Bullard of Ashland, Ky., was a guest.

and evacuated 24 elderly patients from an infirmary in Maple City, not far from Ludington. The patients, some as old as 94, shivered under blankets for nearly 14 hours after a storm-caused power failure cut off their heat, lights and water.

Residents dug out from as much as 18 inches of snow in upper Michigan and northwestern lower Michigan. Highway crews attacked drifts as high as seven feet. Power company workmen repaired lines through the night, restoring electricity to areas in which more than 10,000 persons lost power for varying periods of time.

In Cleveland, Ohio, at the edge of Lake Erie, 10 persons died Tuesday from apparent heart attacks while shoveling snow.

The temperature fell below zero in Montana and along the nation's northwest border. At Salt Lake City, Utah, thick fog forced airlines to reroute planes.

The dramatic rescue of the Nordmeer's crewmen off Alpena, Mich., took only 28 minutes. For 12 hours before that, the ship's captain, Ernst-George Steinbeck, and seven of his crewmen bore the brunt of winds that gusted to 60 knots—full gale force—as they sent out SOS signals.

1964 GOP Disaster Debated

WASHINGTON (AP) — A top man in Barry Goldwater's presidential campaign dismissed today as "baloney" the two-year-old charge of Michigan Gov. George Romney that the race was designed to appeal to segregationist Southerners.

But Dean Burch, who served as Republican national chairman during the last presidential race, ended his rebuttal there—and said he had advised Goldwater against debating the matter.

He said it threatened to renew the strife that split the party during the Goldwater campaign.

"We're just starting 1964 all over again," Burch, in Tucson, Ariz., said in a telephone interview. "That won't do anybody any good."

Both Romney and Goldwater men denied that they had first made public the text of the 12-page letter the Michigan governor wrote Dec. 21, 1964.

Written as an explanation of Romney's refusal to endorse the Goldwater presidential ticket, it complains about campaign strategy and makes this assertion:

"Indeed, the conduct of the campaign and the Nov. 3 election results demonstrated that your campaign never effectively deviated from the Southern-rural-white orientation."

Romney said there was "distressing evidence that this was part of the strategy," but added he did not believe Goldwater

Obituaries

JAMES RICHARD EUBANKS

James Richard Eubanks, 2 day old infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Eubanks died Tuesday night in a local hospital. Survivors include his parents, two brothers, John Allen Eubanks and Mark Miller and one sister Jill Miller of the home. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Eubanks, Sr. and maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Langston of Hope. Graveside services were held Wednesday at 2:30 PM at Harmony cemetery with Rev. Johnnie Walraven officiating. Oakcrest Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Highway Cut Opposed by Gov. Faubus

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Gov. Orval Faubus, declaring that a cutback in federal money highway construction would virtually halt interstate highway building in Arkansas, urged President Johnson Tuesday to rescind it.

Faubus sent Johnson a telegram asking that he "review most carefully" the decision to chop highway funds in an effort to curb inflation.

"I agree with the national administration's efforts to curb inflation and to reduce spending in other fields, in an effort to support the troops in Viet Nam," Faubus wrote.

The governor said he thought a cut in highway construction money should come last, rather than first, and said he would be glad to suggest reduction in other fields of Arkansas federal spending.

Faubus said the state has only a balance of \$6.5 million for the next seven months because \$23.2 million of the \$29.7 million allocated Arkansas has already been contracted.

had shaped such a plan.

"A leading Southern delegate in a private conversation with me... made it clear that there had been a platform deal that was a surrender to the Southern segregationists, contrary to the entire tradition of the party," Romney wrote.

"That's a bunch of baloney," said Burch.

Goldwater himself was off on an Air Force Reserve flight, but a spokesman said he had decided against making any statement on the newly published Romney letter.

Its publication in the New York Times Tuesday produced this series of events:

—Goldwater cabled Romney, who is vacationing in Puerto Rico, asking for permission to make public the text of the letter—and the letter he wrote which prompted it.

"Leaking the letter piecemeal as someone obviously is doing does not serve the best interest of our party," Goldwater said.

—At about the same time, Romney's office in Lansing, Mich., released the text of the letter. A Romney spokesman insisted the initial release had not come from the governor or "anyone acting in his behalf."

—Goldwater made public his Dec. 6, 1964, letter to Romney. "Where were you, George, when the chips were down and the going was hard?" it asked. "Many rank and file Republicans got a bad taste in their mouths when they saw leaders of their own party failing to support a national ticket."

Strike Hangs Over Pan Air for Friday

NEW YORK (AP) — Pan American World Airways, the largest international carrier in the world, said today it would continue negotiations with the Transport Workers Union in efforts to avert a strike threatened by the union for noon Friday.

A strike by the union, which says it represents 13,000 Pan Am flight and ground-service employees, would result in the suspension of all of Pan Am's 360 daily flights to 128 cities around the world. The airline serves 16,500 passengers a day.

The two sides are deadlocked over a 15 per cent wage increase over 2½ years recommended by a presidential fact-finding board.

In the event of a strike, Pan Am said, "The TWU contract provides for Pan Am's military flights and guided-missile range division at Cape Kennedy to continue to operate."

The union said, however, that TWU employees at Cape Kennedy would be affected by a walk-out.

The TWU represents Pan American mechanics and other ground personnel, stewardesses, pursers and port stewards. The union's contract became renewable for revision last July 1. President Johnson named the emergency board Sept. 30.

The present maximum hourly rate for a mechanic is \$3.59. The union originally asked for a 30 per cent increase.

Argentine Faces Labor Uprising

By ROMAN JIMENEZ
BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — Six months after taking power, Lt. Gen. Juan Carlos Onganía is treading cautiously into the teeth of a young hurricane. The winds of labor union anger show signs of growing stronger.

Onganía knows these winds of change must blow themselves out before the national salvage campaign he heads can be complete.

He knows, too, that national strikes, student unrest and political ambitions among men who wear uniforms have toppled many South American regimes.

Although he inherited a jack-straw pile of problems June 28 when the military took over, the general has grabbed only one firmly. That problem was reorganization of the port of Buenos Aires, one of the more inefficient and costly in the world.

A port workers' strike failed in the government view. More laborers went to work than stayed away when the strike began. But the fight isn't over, and the port must be won before Onganía's forces can move onto the next objective, the state-owned railroads.

Clamping down on the railroad bureaucracy may bring the hurricane. Some estimates say 80,000 workers must be discharged. The railroad unions aren't likely to take that lying down.

Something has to be done since the railroads account for 40-50 per cent of the government deficit. Frequent freight and passenger rate increases haven't done the trick.

The Peronist threat seems

diminished. Perhaps the military character of the government is responsible. Perhaps it is because, as a few Peronist leaders say, Juan D. Peron has lived too long in luxury in Madrid, Spain.

Russia Hits Sino Reds, Not Chinese

By WILLIAM L. RYAN

AP Special Correspondent
Soviet and European Communist reports leave the reader with the impression that the Moscow camp sees Red China's leadership on the threshold of a showdown clash and an ensuing violent political explosion.

Moscow seeks a world Communist conference which, in effect, would read the current Red Chinese leadership out of the revolutionary movement—but not the Chinese Communist party as such.

With slashing attacks unmatched in vehemence since the days of Nikita S. Khrushchev, Moscow has rejoined the battle of verbal brickbats with Peking. For all the vigor of the attack, it is a careful one which expresses "deep respect for the Chinese people and for Chinese Communists."

Perhaps, in Moscow's thinking, the forces now pushing the "great proletarian cultural revolution" in Red China and spearheading the attack on the Soviet party may not be the ultimate winners.

A series of Moscow commentaries suggest a Soviet belief—or possibly a wish—that Lin

Piao, heir apparent to Mao Tse-tung, and those who support him have been digging their own graves.

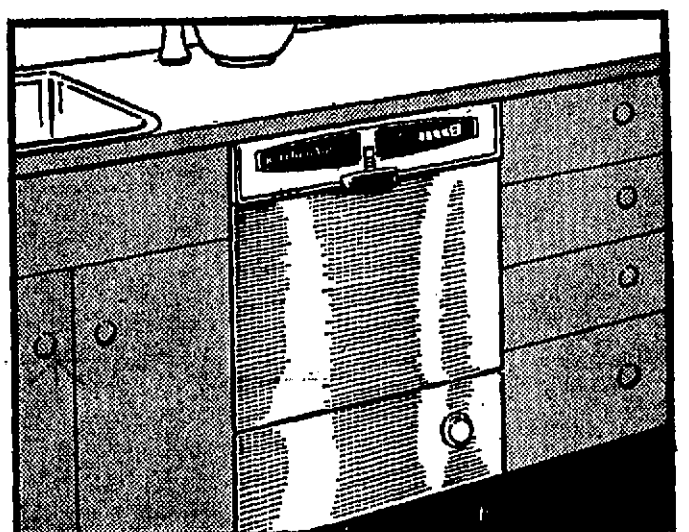
These commentaries hint that the current leaders have done some incredible things. They have broken up the Central Committee of the Young Communist League and virtually dismantled that important organization of nine million middle-generation Communists. They have destroyed the Peking City party committee. They have dismembered staffs of important papers. They have dismantled the party organization of Peking University.

Reports from the Czechoslovak news agency's Peking correspondent suggest that the Chinese military is in charge of the purge, but that Defense Minister Lin is opposed by still powerful men. These include President Liu Shao-chi and Teng Hsiao-ping, the party's general secretary.

The agency reports that Peking students have denounced Liu as a "time bomb" threatening Mao. It said the leaflets depicted Liu and Teng as No. 1 and 2 bosses of a "black gang" trying to halt the cultural revolution, and declared that "the anti-party reactionary line will not be liquidated" until the two are deposed.



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Calendar of Events

DECEMBER 1
Chapter 328, ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR, will have their regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, December 1.

CHAPTER 153 O.E.S. will have its regular meeting Dec. 6, 1966. There will be an exchange of gifts after the meeting. All members bring or send something for the Christmas box. The box goes to worthy Eastern Star member.

The VFW Auxiliary will meet at the VFW Hut on Thursday, December 1 at 7:30 p.m. All members and prospective members are urged to attend.

WEEK OF PRAYER
The W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church will observe "The Little Moon Week of Prayer for Foreign Missions", Dec. 4 through Dec. 10. Sunday there will be special scriptures to read and prayer needs for all the family. The theme for the week is "BEHOLD THE LAMB OF GOD". The following is the schedule for the week.

Place: The Educational Building.
Mon. 1:30 Behold Him as Healer.
Tues. 1:30 Behold Him as Teacher.
Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:20.

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There will be a Guest Speaker, Thurs. 1:30 Behold Him as Savior.
Fri. 1:30 Behold His Salvation.
Sat. At home: Each member will set aside 15 minutes to pray. The member of the church and everyone is invited to attend. "The Week of Prayer" is for all.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME HELD AT HOPE COUNTRY CLUB

A Club Championship Game for the Hope Duplicate Bridge Club was held on Monday, November 28 at the Hope Country Club with Luther Hollamon and Dr. and Mrs. George Wright as hosts. Umbrella palm fronds graced the mantle, and in the center of the serving table were gold candles and fruit in brass. Chicken pie was the main course for the potluck supper served to 28. Five tables of bridge were played in the evening resulting in these winners: 1st, Mrs. R. L. Broach and Mrs. Syd McMath; 2nd, Mrs. Harry Hawthorne and Mrs. Conner Boyett; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Young, Jr.; 4th, Mrs. Paul Lewis and Mike Kelly.

Coming, Going

Mrs. Edward Woodford and granddaughter, Janie Wilbanks, both of Little Rock, are visiting Misses Marie and Nannie Purkins and Mrs. Glen Williams.

Mrs. Steve Carrigan, Jr. went to Little Rock for Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Prather and Mary Della, and she attended the performances of two operas and "Hello Dolly."

Mrs. Herbert Lewallen spent Thanksgiving in Dallas with Mr.

and Mrs. Richard Poteet and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gilbert have had as guests: Phillip Gilbert, Visalia, Calif.; Mrs. Michael Felling, Awatonna, Minn.; Mrs. Joe Nations and Rusty, Texarkana; the James Gilbert family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gilbert, Mrs. Parker Rogers and Dana Lynn Carroll, Hope; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Gilbert and Scott, Irving, Tex.; Mrs. Guy Martin, Patmos; Mrs. Tommy Heird, Pine Bluff.

Miss Mary Rains Lewis has returned to Houston after the Thanksgiving holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lewis.

Mrs. E. J. Whitman is in Fort Arthur, Tex., with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gamill. Mrs. Gamill, the former Anna Whitman, is doing well following recent surgery.

Mrs. John Nix and Nannette, Texarkana, have been recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Emmett Thompson and other relatives.

Mrs. Lenora Reeves and David, Malvern, were holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Hailey and the E. P. Young, Jr. family.

Diane Ellis and Jan Ellis have returned to the U. of A. after spending the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wolf and daughter, Andrea, in New York City. The girls met this summer in Hawaii.

The out of town friends that attended the funeral of Parker Rogers on Thursday Nov. 25th were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burgess, and Mrs. Muriel Richardson of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jarrell of Morrilton, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Carroll of Murfreesboro, Ark.; Mrs. Herbert Cox and Miss Ruth Hawthorne of Fulton, Liston and Loraine Gaskin of Eldorado, Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Laseter of Wake Village, Texas, Mr. Phil C. Gilbert of Visalia, Calif., Mrs. Joe Nations of Texarkana, Texas, Mrs. Michael Felling of Rochester, Minn., Mary Taylor Hardin of Gurdon, Mrs. Francis Malcolm and Lucille Ruggles of Little Rock, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Gilbert of Emmet, Jim, Joe and Howard Douthett of Camden.

Miss Wyble Wimberly, Huntsville, Ala., and Joe Wimberly, Kingsport, Tenn., have returned home after spending a few days last week with Mrs. J. W. Wimberly.

Mrs. Beryl Anthony, Jr. and Allison, El Dorado, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Foster.

Dr. and Mrs. Jim McKenzie are in Las Vegas, Nev., for a medical meeting. When they flew out west in a private plane, they were accompanied to Phoenix, Ariz., by Mrs. Henry Haynes, who is visiting there with her son, Jim.

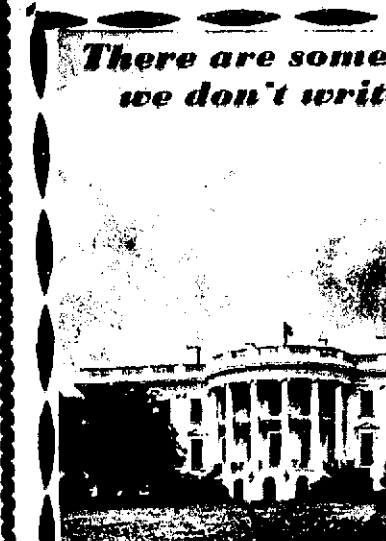
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duffie have returned from New Orleans and a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Duffie and family.

NOTICE
Girl Scout Calendars for 1967 are now on sale for 50 cents each. To order them call: Mrs. John May, 7-3542; Mrs. Gail Sinyard, 7-3076; Mrs. Dale Flowers, 7-2795; or Mrs. Charles Jones, 7-4313.

National Monument
Idaho's Craters of the Moon National Monument consists of moonlike craters, cinder cones and ice caves, which pock 75 square miles of the Snake River lava plain. The area lies along the Great Rift, a 16-mile series of fissures that have repeatedly spewed fiery rock.

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GOING BATTY OVER BATMAN, the young afficianado (left) carries hero's mysterious look to the outdoors in a warm knitted mask of soft, lightweight, knitted fabric and made by Wearette. Another warm but light outdoor fashion for the young crowd is the girl's hooded poncho cape (right) by North Shore in a brilliant plaid. The zip-front cape reverses, hood and all, to a solid color. Both designs are in Creslan acrylic fiber.



HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

YOUTH ASKED FOR IT!

This column is for young people their problems and pleasures, their troubles and fun. As with the rest of Helen Help US!, it welcomes laughs but won't dodge a serious question with a brush-off.

Send your teenage questions to Helen Help US!, this newspaper.

UNIFORMS FOR STUDENTS

Dear Helen: I'm the mom of a 10th grader. She is of the "match-it" school: every skirt must have a matching blouse, which has to match her coat and shoes. These nylons: WOW! One pair per week! (Note from H: Only ONE? Teen nylons are usually "Runaday Brand.")

Now here's my suggestion. No one complains about uniform gym clothes. So why not school uniforms? Then there'd be no more fusses about mini-skirts, tight sweaters, tight pants, floppy shirts, etc. And let's get back to bobby or half-sox!

What a relief it would be to send the kids off in well-designed uniforms same color and style for all. No more competing, no jealousy. Our kids should go to school to learn, not to primp and pose.

Maybe this emphasis on "sharp" clothes contributes to school drop-out. Those who can't keep up with the Junior Jones' feel inferior. Money becomes an all-important to them, and so they quit to find jobs.

Frankly, I'd like a new outfit myself once in a while, but all I get is daughter's cast-offs.

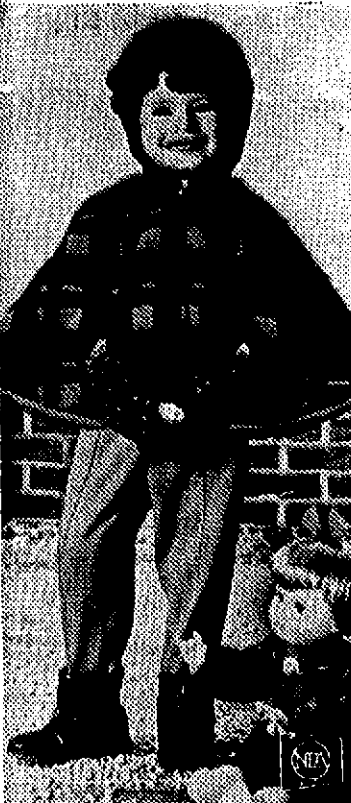
-FOR SCHOOL UNIFORMS

P. S. And think of the teen shopping miseries this would save.

Dear For: Wouldn't it be wonderful...? I'm afraid uniforms will never make it, except at private schools, but your bombshell would certainly put some zip into Ye Olde PTA. Toss it!

Concerning school nylons: arise, Mothers, and march against 'em! It isn't unusual these days for teens (sometimes even pre-teens) to squander \$80 a year on sheer hose, and this kind of thing can send a father up the wall.

Anyone for W. A. R. ?— (Women Against Runs?). Your



them.
The fourth man was different. It wasn't the same with Jim, because he likes me and my children, spends a lot of time with us, has a good job, is steady and dependable. But I don't love him — not yet, I think I could.

But here is the terrible part. I just found out I am two and one-half months pregnant. You can't imagine the nightmares I've been through. There are only three solutions: 1. Go away and put the baby out for adoption. This would be best for me and my children, but I'd hate myself forever. 2. Keep the baby and try to live down the scandal. This might ruin my children's lives — all of them. 3. Marry Jim and let him think the baby is his, even though it isn't. He would be a good husband and father, but guilt would make me a bad wife.

All I wanted was to be loved and needed by someone, and all I've done is mess up my life, my children's and the poor baby's lives. I am not even 21 and have ruined more lives than most people do in a lifetime. — Help! A DESPERATE WIDOW

Dear Widow: You have a fourth choice, and as I see it, the only one: Tell Jim the truth. Don't expect marriage — not yet anyway — but I think he'll help you make the right decision. — H.

This column is dedicated to family living, so if you're having kid trouble or just plain trouble, let Helen Help YOU. She will also welcome your own amusing experiences. Address Helen Bottel in care of Hope Star.

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BARBS

By WALTER C. PARKES

The eyes are called the windows of the soul, which may account for some folks' vacant expressions.

Bragging that you never tire of work can make you tiresome to your friends.



A smack bar is a secluded bench in Lovers' Lane.

Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY

AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — There are persistent references these days to a drop-off in television audiences. But even as the critics mourn the lack of excitement in this season's crop of programs, there apparently is little evidence of any reduction in audience size or even of any disenchantment on the part of viewers.

Paul Klein, NBC vice president in charge of research, insists that the television audience this season consists of about 54,900,000 television-equipped homes — 1,100,000 more than last year, and that only about seven homes in a hundred are without at least one television set.

Klein's figures, from various sources, indicate that the average set is in use 5 hours and 20 minutes a day — an increase of about 6 minutes over last year.

"There are more television homes than ever before, there are more color sets than ever before and—contrary to popular belief—there are more upper-income homes with television than there are low-income homes," he said.

"Maybe people like to say that they are watching television less. But that could just be because the more people watch television, the more guilt-ridden they feel about it. It may be that they are reluctant to admit how much they watch."

The cute blonde girl in those explosive automobile commercials is named Pam Austin, and she has been signed to play the title role in a prospective series, "The Perils of Pauline."

Working in commercials seems to be a good way to start a performing career, Grace Kelly did a soap commercial in the old days. And look what happened to Barbara Feldon, who started out selling cosmetics, moved on to costar in "Get Smart," and is now making motion pictures in her spare time.

NBC's news department has in the works a three-part series on Communist expansion and U.S. involvement in Southeast Asia. It will deal with Thailand, Laos and Indonesia. The first

will be broadcast Dec. 16. "Stage 67" ABC's anthology series, has signed Lauren Bacall and John Forsythe for a light documentary which will trace our nation's dance fashions from the minuet to the frug. It is for February broadcast.

NEW 3 WHEELED CAR
TOKYO (AP) — Communist China claims it is producing a three-wheeled passenger car which could replace pedicabs in some cities.
Peking's New China News Agency (NCNA) reported that the car can seat four persons, has a maximum speed of 37 miles per hour and has a low gasoline consumption.

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SPORTS

Hope Edges Ashdown by 67 to 60

LARRY DON WRIGHT
Hope Star Sports Writer

The Hope Bobcats came through with a well-improved fast break to push back a stiff Ashdown challenge and win their first home game of the season, 67-60, last night in Jones Field House.

Earlier the Ashdown senior girls' team ran past the Lady Cats, 49-34, handing the Hope girls their second loss in as many outings.

The victory pulled the Bobcats season record to an even 1-1, combined with their loss to Waldo last week. Ashdown's mark slumped to a 1-3 for the year. Despite executing the fast break noticeably better than they had against Waldo, the Cats were still unable to complete most of their breaching attempts due to floor mistakes.

At several points through the game it appeared that the Bobcats, who led from the early moments, were about to pull away. However, in each instance, the Cats' lead slackened due to errors in ball handling.

The players seemed generally unsure of themselves, which as Head Coach Joe Austin pointed out after the contest, will usually work itself out as the season progresses.

Coach Austin was also well pleased with the improvement in the basic element in his basketball strategy. His feelings were that it will continue to improve until the boys have the confidence in it that will make it win ball games.

The Cats took the lead for good mid way through the first period and never relinquished it as their command swayed between two and eight points consistently.

After one quarter the Bobcats held a four point advantage over the Panthers, 16-12, but inaccurate passing and frequent fumbles had already played an important part in holding the Cats back.

They stretched this lead to seven points midway through the quarter but a last minute surge by the Panthers brought the visitors to a single point, 33-32, by the half time buzzer.

The third period saw the Cats back to their eight-point lead but the sharp shooting of the Ashdown boys kept it within reach. The stanza ended with the Bobcats out front, 52-44.

The Panthers really came alive beginning the final quarter as they played a cool game of catchup through the first four minutes. They pulled up to a 56-56 deadlock with just over four minutes left in the contest.

However, the tie only lasted a few seconds as Hope threw in six quick points via the fast break. They then maintained their winning margin to grab the 67-60 triumph.

Panther Teddy Adkinson was head gunner for the night as he sacked up 25 points for the visitors.

Stan Parris led Hope in both points scored and number of rebounds racking up 19 in both categories. Stan Reyenga wasn't far behind in scoring with 18 points, followed by Danny Griffiths with 10, Dwight Galloway with 9, Larry East with 6, and Evans with 5.

The Lady Cats, playing without the services of standout forward Carol Anthony, proved no match for the powerful Ashdown girls in the first game of the night's double header.

Not only did Ashdown command the boards, taking a definite majority of the rebounds, but the visitors showed their stuff in the shooting department as well.

Defensively the Lady Cats shined by stealing balls, intercepting passes, and checking shooters, but in general this wasn't enough. The dead eye shooting of the Ashdown forwards put the game almost out of reach in the early stages.

Ashdown pulled ahead by 15-9 at the end of one and had strengthened this to a 24-15 half-time advantage.

The lead gradually increased and by the third quarter the score read 36-22.

Ashdown was led in scoring by Walker (no relation to Hazel) who pushed in 26 points.

Katherine Coleman was high point for Hope with 16, mostly attributed to her patented eight-foot hook shot. Gail Hartsfield tallied for 12, while Linda Kay Reese scored 4.

The Bobcats will play next at Nashville this Saturday night.

Fights Last Night

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
MIAMI BEACH, Fla.—Bobby Cassidy, 157½, New York, outpointed Gordon Lott, 155, Savannah, Ga., 10.

Defensive Star Cashes in on Rout

By JACK HAND
NEW YORK (AP) — When the final score is 72-41, a defensive player really has to do something big to get his name in the paper. Washington's Brig Owens found the way.

While the New York Giants were going down before a record-breaking score, Owens was dashing around picking up headlines.

The Skins' safety man scored two touchdowns and set up two others while intercepting three passes. He also recovered a fumble. That feat made Owens The Associated Press' defensive Player of the Week in The National Football League.

The 5-foot-11, 188-pounder used to be a quarterback in college (Cincinnati). The Dallas Cowboys drafted him No. 7 in 1965 but kept him on the taxi or reserve squad most of the year. Shortly before the 1966 season, Owens was traded to Washington.

"I never played defense before coming to the pros," said the 23-year-old Owens. "I'm just learning this game. This was the best game I ever had anywhere."

Owens picked up a fumble and ran it back 62 yards for one score and dashed 60 yards with an intercepted pass for his second TD. He gained 87 yards with his three interceptions.

If Owens had not had so many chances in that wild game the defensive honors probably would have gone to Green Bay's Herb Adderley for a key interception and a partially blocked punt in a 28-16 victory over Minnesota.

The Packers' fine corner back partially blocked Bobby Walden's punt in the first half, the ball sailing out of bounds on the Vikings' 11 to set up the third Packer touchdown for a 21-3 halftime lead.

With the Vikings straining for a winning touchdown in the final minutes, Adderley intercepted a pass thrown by Fran Tarkenton and Green Bay held the ball the rest of the way for a 28-16 victory.

Picking Site of Pro Bowl Draws Near

By JACK HAND
NEW YORK (AP) — The National Football League expects to finish its realignment today and get on to the business of setting the site and date of the Super Bowl game with the American Football League champions.

Pete Rozelle, commissioner of pro football, kept the owners at work until nearly midnight Tuesday, trying to hammer out an agreement on realignment. The league spent all day Monday and Tuesday working on the problem.

The big rub came in lining up the four-club divisions of the eight-team Eastern Conference because six different teams wanted to call the New York Giants their traditional rivals.

Although the Giants have fallen on evil times, they still sell out Yankee Stadium every Sunday and a New York game is considered important to many clubs.

It still had not been determined whether the New Orleans franchise would go into the Western or Eastern Conference. Rozelle said the realignment would not change the present make-up of the two conferences, except for the addition of New Orleans to one group. The Western unit has first pick of New Orleans or Atlanta. It was the make-up of the two four-club subdivisions of each conference that caused all the problems.

Traditional rivalry, weather, baseball park conflict and the strength and weakness of the teams involved were factors.

When they get around to the Super Bowl game, the owners of the NFL and AFL, meeting in separate sessions, are expected to settle on Sunday, Jan. 15 at the Los Angeles Coliseum. This will involve reshuffling other dates and will result in both the NFL and AFL title games being played on the same weekend, possibly on the same day.

SMU Load's Southwest's All-Stars

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—Champion Southern Methodist, led by its brilliant offensive guard—Lynn Thornhill—and placing seven players all told dominated the All-Southwest Conference football team.

Thornhill was one of three getting unanimous support from the coaches. Loyd Phillips, Arkansas' All-America tackle, and Chuck Latourette of Rice, versatile defensive back, were the others.

Three players lacked only one vote of being unanimous—Chris Gilbert, the conference rushing leader from Texas; Greg Pipes, mighty defensive guard of Baylor, and John LaGrone, the brilliant middle guard of Southern Methodist.

Arkansas, which tied for second, had five players on the all-conference while Texas, which Arkansas tied for second, came up with three.

Texas A&M, Rice and Texas Christian placed two each and Baylor and Texas Tech got one apiece.

There are 23 men on the two units—offensive and defensive—because of a tie for the offensive tackle spots among three players—Maurice Moorman of Texas A&M, Dick Cunningham of Arkansas and George Gaiser of Southern Methodist.

Larry Gilbert, Texas Tech's wizard pass-receiver, and Jerry Levis, the big play man of Southern Methodist, are the offensive ends. Thornhill and Howard Goad of Texas are the guards and Melvin Gibbs of Arkansas the center.

Mac White of Southern Methodist edged Jon Brittenum of Arkansas for quarterback. Wendell Housley of Texas A&M and Chris Gilbert were picked at halfback and Lester Lehman of Rice at fullback.

Hartford Hamilton of Arkansas and Corby Robertson of Texas were selected as the defensive ends, Phillips and Mike Bratcher of Texas Christian the tackles, Pipes and LaGrone the guards, Billy Bob Stewart and Jerry Griffin, both of Southern Methodist, the linebackers; Frank Horak of Texas Christian and Martine Bercher of Arkansas defensive halfbacks, and Latourette at safety.

DALLAS, Tex. (AP)—The All-Southwest Conference football teams, giving position, player, school, weight, class and home town:

OFFENSIVE TEAM
Ends — Larry Gilbert, Texas Tech, 200, junior, Kilgore, Tex.; Jerry Levis, Southern Methodist, 178, sophomore, Beaumont, Tex.

Tackles — Maurice Moorman, Texas A&M, 248, junior, Louisville, Ky.; Dick Cunningham, Arkansas, 225, senior, San Antonio, Tex.; George Gaiser, Southern Methodist, 225, senior, San Antonio.

Guards — Lynn Thornhill, Southern Methodist, 208, senior, Seymour, Tex.; Howard Goad, Texas, 216, senior, Cleburne, Tex.

Center — Melvin Gibbs, Arkansas, 205, senior, Borger, Tex.

Quarterback — Mac White, Southern Methodist, 175, senior, Galveston, Tex.

Halfbacks — Wendell Housley, Texas A&M, 197, sophomore, Richardson, Tex.; Chris Gilbert, Texas, 180, sophomore, Branch, Tex.

Fullback — Lester Lehman, Rice, 200, junior, Waco, Tex.

DEFENSIVE TEAM
Ends — Hartford Hamilton, Arkansas, 200, junior, Lonoke, Ark.; Corby Robertson, Texas, 200, sophomore, Houston.

Tackles — Loyd Phillips, Arkansas, 230, senior, Longview, Tex.; Mike Bratcher, Texas Christian, 205, junior, Celina, Tex.

Guards — Greg Pipes, Baylor, 228, junior, Fort Worth; John LaGrone, Southern Methodist, 222, senior, Borger, Tex.

Linebackers — Billy Bob Stewart, Southern Methodist, 230, 230, senior, Grand Prairie, Tex.; Jerry Griffin, Southern Methodist, 218, senior, Dallas.

Defensive 3 frank
Horak, Texas Christian, 190, senior, Caldwell; Martine Bercher, Arkansas, 170, senior, Fort Smith, Ark.

Safety — Chuck Latourette, Rice, 185, senior, Jonesboro, Ark.

Summer Scandal
Edges Open Fire

NEW YORK (AP) — By a margin of four votes, 28-24, David G. Volkert's Summer Scandal edged Donald P. Ross' Open Fire for the championships of the older fillies and mares division announced today by the Thoroughbred Racing Association's Board of Selection.



AN ICE FOLLIES dance routine it isn't. Rather, it's another hockey rhubarb—this one between the Detroit Red Wings and the New York Rangers.

Laker Star Jerry West Unhappy Man

NEW YORK (AP) — Jerry West had just scored 25 points, but he was far from happy about it.

"I'm not consistent," the All-Star guard for the Los Angeles Lakers said after his team had taken a 118-114 beating from the New York Knicks Tuesday.

"I've been very streaky — shooting well and then poorly," West attributed his problems to the heel injury that dictated his absence from the Los Angeles line-up during the first part of the season.

West's final discouragement Tuesday was missing five of 12 free throws. Last week, he took over the league lead in free-throw percentage.

Adding to West's troubles has been the demise of Los Angeles as a power in the Western Division of the NBA. Champions in the West last season, the Lakers now are in fourth place, leading only Chicago.

In other NBA games Tuesday, Detroit edged Boston 104-100, Philadelphia beat St. Louis, 137-116 and San Francisco took Chicago, 108-101.

Wilt Chamberlain scored his 22,000th point and then some in the Philadelphia victory. In all, the fabulous center scored 25 points, hitting on 10 of 11 from the floor, pulled down 27 rebounds and had seven assists.

Lindell Is Named Back of Week

Army's Steve Lindell, who fired two cannon shots that scuttled the Navy last Saturday, was saluted today by The Associated Press as college football's Back of the Week.

Lindell, a poised, 19-year-old sophomore from Princeton, Minn., broke up the interservice duel with a pair of fourth-quarter touchdown passes, giving the Cadets a 20-7 victory to cap their finest season since 1958.

The 5-foot-11, 180-pound Army quarterback hit Terry Young with a 43-yard scoring strike, snapping a 7-7 tie, then tossed a 23-yard pass to Carl Woessner for the insurance tally.

Over-all, Lindell completed 12 of 17 passes for 164 yards, added 25 rushing yards and converted after two touchdowns in leading Army to its eighth victory in 10 starts under first-year coach Tom Cahill.

Sophomore Coley O'Brien of Notre Dame and Frank Quayle of Virginia sparked Saturday as the Irish trampled Southern California 51-0 and the Cavaliers trimmed North Carolina 21-14.

O'Brien, starting at quarterback for Notre Dame in the absence of injured Terry Hanratty, hit on 21 of 31 pass attempts for 255 yards and three touchdowns. Quayle scored all three Virginia touchdowns on jaunts of 30, 23 and 4 yards.

George Patton Is Lineman of Week

NEW YORK (AP) — George Patton of Georgia received the honor for the second time this season as the Associated Press' Lineman of the Week for his defensive play in the Bulldogs' 23-14 victory over Georgia Tech last Saturday.

Richey Eliminated By The Measles

MELBOURNE (AP) — The Richey brother and sister team of Dallas was eliminated from the Victorian Championships Tuesday, Cliff by an attack of German measles and Nancy in competition against Australian Judy Tegart, while Arthur Ashe and Rosemary Casals kept the United States in the running with victories.

Basketball

Arkansas Basketball Scores
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
College

Harding 98, Bethel, Tenn. 67
High School
Hot Springs 51, Conway 31
Blytheville 79, Jacksonville 59
Searcy 57, Batesville 52

Wills May End Career If Traded

SEATTLE (AP) — Maury Wills, his ailing legs rejuvenated through a daily weight lifting program, doesn't want to quit baseball but says he will if he's traded to the wrong club.

The Los Angeles Dodger shortstop and team captain—holder of the major league season record of 104 stolen bases—talked of his possible retirement Tuesday after learning the Dodgers had said they would trade him "for a reasonable offer."

"I'd rather not be traded because Los Angeles is a great place to play ball," Wills said. "But if they decide to trade me I'll continue to play in the same fashion I've always done for the Dodgers. I'll give 100 per cent all the time."

"But if I feel I'd rather not go with another club, I'd retire," Wills was bothered by injuries last season. He stole only 38 bases and was caught 24 times. But for the last few weeks he said he has been running each day with two-pound weights on his ankle and spending a half hour lifting a 5½-pound weight with each leg.

Wills, in the Dodger organization for nearly half his 34 years, angered team officials when he left a post-season exhibition tour in Japan. He said he was afraid he would injure himself seriously.

He declined comment on any disagreement with the Dodger front office.

Zane Grey wrote 50 novels which, at the time of his death, had a total sale of more than 1.7 million copies.

Shakeup for Dodgers and the Yankees

By MURRAY CHASS

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — The Los Angeles Dodgers, having acquired second baseman Ron Hunt, and the New York Yankees, having given up third baseman Clete Boyer, looked forward today to molding new infields with shortstop Maury Wills possibly leaving one and joining the other.

The National League champion Dodgers made the first major trade of the annual baseball meetings Tuesday, sending two-time batting champion Tommy Davis and infielder-outfielder Derrell Griffith to the Mets for Hunt and infielder-outfielder Jim Hickman.

Less than eight hours later, the Yankees and the Atlanta Braves completed the first interleague trade of the meetings and sent Boyer, an eight-year Yankee veteran, to the Braves.

In return the Yankees received outfielder Bill Robinson, who played for Richmond of the International League last season. The Yankees also got Federico (Chi Chi) Olivo for their Syracuse IL farm club roster and son, then batted .278 in 64 games at Spokane of the Pacific Coast League. Hickman, the last of the original Mets, batted .238 this past year.

The Yankees were pleased to be able to move Jim Lefebvre from second to third. John Kennedy, whose weak hitting has prevented him from fulfilling his potential, now is free to move to short.

With Lefebvre, a .274 hitter last season, and Hunt, a .288 batter, providing offensive punch in the infield, the Dodgers might be able to afford carrying a .201 hitter of Kennedy's fielding quality.

That would fill the shortstop spot that would be vacant if the Dodgers completed a trade for Wills, who has fallen from favor since leaving the club early in its tour of Japan.

Wills, in turn, could fill part of the gaping hole in the left side of the Yankee infield, teaming with rookie Bobby Murcer as shortstop-third base combination.

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Upset of the Year'

On Saturday we had a brilliant record of 16 winners, 4 losers, for an .800 batting average—kaff-kaff!

To refresh your memories, my Turkey Day forecast I wrote, "Watch for the Oklahoma Sooners to treat a national TV audience to the upset of the year as they 'feast' on Nebraska's Cornhuskers!"

And—ahem—just as I predicted they would, the Sooners, with a spine-tingling display of dogged determination, prevailed 10-9 on a last-minute field goal to knock Sugar bowl nominee Nebraska from the ranks of the unbeaten—ar-rumph!

But as gratifying as the Oklahoma prediction was it was on Saturday the Hoople System excelled!

On the last big day of the regular 1966 season your favorite forecaster correctly bled Army's "fourth quarter" upset of Navy, the Miami Hurricanes' upset of Orange Bowl bound Florida, and the Georgia Bulldogs' triumph over previously undefeated Georgia Tech, who will face Florida in the New Year's classic!

By Jove, as Clancy Denney, the sage of Brooklyn, reassured me by wireless, what, Hoople, is pigskin prognosticating of the first year?" Thank you, Clancy, thank you!

It would not be fair to my

staff to let pass unmentioned several other sterling selections from last week's card.

The Hoople System gave you underdog Holy Cross to upend neighbor Boston College, Florida State to triumph over Maryland, and Notre Dame to trim Southern California—hak-kaff!

Notre Dame's 51-0 thrashing of the Trojans gives the Irish undisputed possession of first place in my personal ratings! It also makes the South Bend lads the unofficial Rose Bowl champion by virtue of their early season conquest of Purdue's Boilermakers, who will meet Southern California on New Year's Day—ump-kumph!

In another contest with Bowl-game overtones last Saturday, we gave you S.M.U. "to win the post as Cotton Bowl host" by topping T.C.U. The Southern Methodist boys did the job rather handily, winning 21-0!

For a rundown on the results on Saturday's card, see my selections reproduced here alongside the actual results of the day's proceedings. And now, dear readers, your peerless prognosticator will repair to his laboratory to prepare his annual bowl games forecast. Watch for my selections in this newspaper.

| | Right | Wrong | Ties | Pct. |
|----------------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Best Saturday: | 16 | 4 | 0 | .800 |
| Season Record: | 277 | 135 | 10 | .675 |

Hoople Selections for Saturday, Nov. 26

Alabama 33, So. Miss. 13
Arizona 17, Arizona St. 16
Army 16, Navy 12
Baylor 21, Rice 7
Holy Cross 26, Boston College 16
Brigham Young 19, Pacific (Cal.) 9
Miami (O.) 23, Cincinnati 21
Clemson 31, So. Carolina 15
Iowa St. 26, Iowa St. 6
Florida St. 12, Maryland 10
Miami (Fla.) 22, Florida 19
Georgia 16, Ga. Tech 15
Utah St. 27, Hawaii 7
Houston 31, Memphis St. 6
Mississippi 28, Miss. St. 0
No. Carolina 14, Virginia 20
Notre Dame 24, So. Calif. 21
S.M.U. 21, T.C.U. 22
Utah 15, Tex. Western 14
Vanderbilt 20, Vanderbilt 11

Actual Results Saturday, Nov. 26

Alabama 34, So. Miss. 0
Arizona 17, Arizona St. 20
Army 20, Navy 7
Baylor 21, Rice 14
Holy Cross 32, Boston College 26
Brigham Young 38, Pacific (Cal.) 0
Miami (O.) 28, Cincinnati 8
Clemson 35, So. Carolina 10
Colo. St. U. 34, Iowa St. 10
Florida St. 45, Maryland 21
Miami (Fla.) 21, Florida 16
Georgia 23, Ga. Tech 14
Utah St. 48, Hawaii 0
Houston 31, Memphis St. 14
Mississippi 24, Miss. St. 0
No. Carolina 14, Virginia 21
S.M.U. 21, T.C.U. 0
Notre Dame 51, So. Calif. 0
Utah 20, Tex. Western 27
Tenn. 28, Vanderbilt 0

Cancer Group Again Cites Cigarettes

WASHINGTON (AP) — The American Cancer Society related today its plea for men and women to give up cigarette smoking "in order to protect themselves against cancer, emphysema and heart disease."

However, those who continue the habit should be able to choose cigarettes with low tar and nicotine in the main stream smoke," said Dr. Harold S. Ghil, the society's deputy executive vice president for research and medical affairs.

Ghil's statement came as the society presented a report at a Federal Trade Commission hearing on rules the FTC has proposed for use in testing cigarettes and reporting on their tar and nicotine content.

Besides a cancer society spokesman, representatives of the tobacco industry and government experts are scheduled to testify at the hearing.

Ghil said the society is convinced that "it is in the interest of health to provide the public with information as to the tar and nicotine content of the smoke of the various brands of cigarettes on the American market."

The testing is expected to be done by machines that puff on cigarettes as a person does. After a measured amount of smoke passes through a filter, the filter is weighed to determine the amount of residue present.

Among points to be decided are the butt length to which test cigarettes are smoked, the number of cigarettes that should be smoked to measure tar and nicotine content, how the test cigarettes should be selected and how the results of the tests could be reported to the public.

The U.S. Public Health Service, meanwhile, offered new statistics from death records to back up its claims about the aged health perils of smoking, particularly cigarette smoking.

The report released Tuesday lists exclusively with death statistics which the Surgeon General's 1964 report had said were at least associated with smoking. Included are lung cancer, such as lung cancer, which the 1964 report said are definitely caused by

Collegiate Shun Careers in Business

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business News Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — Moralizing too rigidly perhaps from the example of their own financial success, many businessmen have been shocked lately by the attitude of college seniors who spurn business careers.

The disaffection is mutual. Knowing that they have a choice of vocations that some of America's most successful businessmen never had, the students.

"What are they offering us? Money? Teaching and government service are offering more money today, too."

The entire debate is clouded in idealism, myths, romantic ambitions, cold logic and inexperience on the part of the student. On the other side are some very outworn stereotypes of what the good life is.

As the businessman views it, the student who enters the world of commerce and works hard thus assures himself of good income, of status, even security and the other benefits of corporate society.

Some students, however, believe that to go through the business mill successfully is to come out packaged in a pin-stripe suit — refined and processed something like a package of breakfast cereal.

The student today, insecure as he may be, has never known the financial insecurity of previous generations. He has little with which to compare or contrast his experience. And, since times are changing so fast anyway, he cares little for old methods and less for old stories. He wants to challenge problems with newly acquired knowledge.

Several of America's most successful corporations are acutely aware of this. It is no secret either that recruiters for these companies receive a welcome from students while others are ignored.

While many companies adhere — very successfully sometimes — to a philosophy that you must stick to your last and work hard, others are innovating, experimenting, sticking their noses into obscure areas where, amazingly, they find profits. This attracts students.

While some companies complain — with or without justice — about government interference, others are profitably becoming partners with government, not just in defense areas but, for example, in running the Job Corps.

While some businessmen dutifully stick to a rigid schedule of in at 9 and out at 5, others take the 5 p.m. flight from one coast to another and return for a conference the following evening. They know no time or geographical limits.

Many of these companies and their leaders are involved in a variety of social and community projects, offering their management skills where they can be of value.

This new pattern finds corporations and their leaders more and more involved not just with profits and sales and stockholders but governmental and educational projects.

A prominent educator said here recently that an ideal of future leaders is to combine business, education and government service.

Decision Continued from Page One

Congress for a \$10 billion to \$15 billion tax increase.

Johnson announced at the outset of the news conference that he had cut back various federal programs by \$5.3 billion with a saving of more than \$3 billion in actual spending of budgeted funds in the remaining seven months of the current fiscal year.

He described the program and spending reductions as "another step to protect and preserve our prosperity."

"By this action we will stretch out and postpone, withhold and defer the less essential items of our programs — the low priority ones," he said.

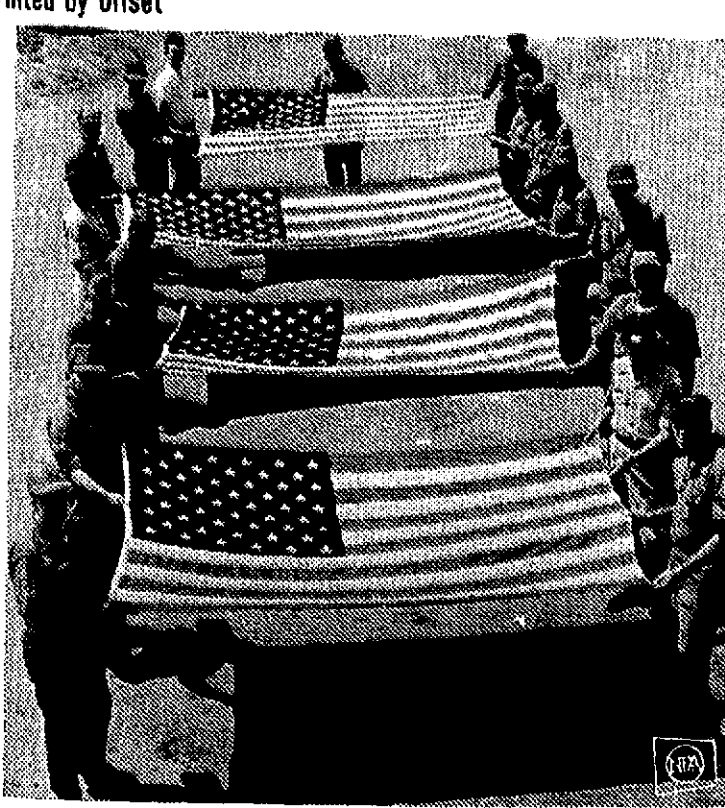
Undersecretary of the Treasury Joseph W. Barr said in Washington that the \$3 billion spending reduction in the fiscal year which ends June 30 will have no effect on the administration's thinking about a possible income tax increase. The cut, he said, already has been worked into the Treasury's figuring.

Johnson, explaining why he cannot make his decision now, said he will have better information around the end of the year.

In this connection, he said he plans to meet with the Joint Chiefs of Staff of the armed forces about the middle of the month and with Chairman Gardner Ackley of the Council of Economic Advisers perhaps this week.

He said a decision on a holiday truce in the war in Viet Nam would be announced "perhaps sometime within the next few hours." When the government of South Viet Nam announced several hours later that fighting would cease for Christmas, New Year's and for the lunar New Year, Johnson had nothing to say.

The President said he plans to make a brief trip Saturday across the Mexican border to join President Gustavo Diaz Ordaz for an inspection of the Amistad Dam construction site on the Rio Grande. The \$70 million dam is the second major storage dam to be built by the two governments under a 1944 water treaty. It is in the area of Del Rio, Tex.



FLAGS FROM HOME flew over the Tan Son Nhut air base in Viet Nam for one day, as a project of school children at San Bernardino, Calif. Four schools in the area sent their flags with the request that they be flown in Viet Nam, as a gesture of the schools' pride in American military men there.

Auto Firms Get Word on 1968 Safety

By CHARLES C. CAIN
AP Business News Writer
DETROIT (AP) — The nation's four largest automakers had the word today on what they must do to make 1968 cars safer. Their first reaction indicated they were neither surprised nor disturbed by it.

The word came Tuesday night from Dr. William Haddon Jr., the recently named national highway safety chief, as he released 23 safety proposals recommended by the federal government.

None of the proposals, described only in capsule form by Dr. Haddon, indicated any major changes would be required in 1968 automobiles.

Dr. Haddon said many of them are "already met by most of the vehicles to which they would apply."

The newly created National Traffic and Highway Safety Agency is expected to release detailed, technical versions of the proposals by Thursday.

Dr. Haddon unveiled the proposals at a dinner sponsored by the Detroit Automobile Show. It marked his first meeting with the four auto company presidents—James M. Roche of General Motors, Arjay Miller of Ford, Lynn A. Townsend of Chrysler and Roy Abernethy of American Motors.

The company heads had kind words for Dr. Haddon.

Dr. Haddon's list left out several items suggested by the General Services Administration, which buys cars for federal

Republican Hope Rises for 1968

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst
WASHINGTON (AP) — After the Republican gains in this month's elections — in Congress and in the states — the party naturally perked up and began dreaming of the possibility of winning the presidency in 1968.

With the Democrats in a bit of disarray, with President Johnson losing popularity, and with the chance the war in Viet Nam might last two years more, Republicans began thinking big about that next election.

It could be their best chance in years. But even the sunniest among them knew that any real chance depended on melting the antagonism between the right wing and the moderate and liberal Republicans.

The opposite has just happened.

The presidential try of the right wing's hero, Sen. Barry Goldwater, was a disaster in 1964. Now Michigan's Gov. George Romney, elected to a third term this month, was the Republican front-runner in the polls.

But Romney had refused to support Goldwater in 1964 and this left a wound in the party. Without full Republican support

in 1968 his prospects would look dim, even if he got the presidential nomination.

How could it be healed? By some salve, perhaps, plus a lot of political maneuvering, political conviction, and perhaps large doses of political expediency.

But with the Republican nominating convention still more than a year and a half away, the Republicans seemed to have plenty of time to doctor themselves.

Then a little more than two weeks ago Goldwater said that, while he wasn't closing the door on Romney, the Michigan governor had a lot of "homework" to do with party leaders to atone for not endorsing Goldwater in 1964.

But on the same day Romney said, "I am not interested in going back and taking a look at the past." Then this week the past caught up with both men, but hardly in a way to take the pain out of that wound of two years ago.

The New York Times published a letter Romney sent 1964 election, although no one so far among the Republicans has admitted being the one who gave the Times the letter.

LIGHTNING STRIKES
MADRAS, India (AP) — A bolt of lightning struck the top of a 14-story building here, dislodging a 60 pound piece of granite. The stone hurtled down onto a parked car, causing extensive damage. The car was empty and NO one was hurt.

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21 Used Cars

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29 Automobile Service

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ECK & MEEK

OMON, FRACKY, I'LL RACE YOU TO THE TOP OF THE HILL!

Beatles' Christmas
LONDON (UPI) — Good-bad Christmas news for Beatles fans. The mop-tops aren't making a special Christmas album of new numbers as they have in the past, but are issuing instead a 16-track album of past recordings under the title "Oldies But Goodies."

TWINS 104 YEARS OLD
SOFIA, Bulgaria (AP) — Bulgarian twin sisters celebrated their 104th birthday in excellent health and enjoying fullest mental ability, the news agency BTA reported.

The two women never needed medical treatment and the first time they consulted a physician was for a routine check-up after their centenary birthdays.

Mother Goose

ACROSS
1 Jack and —
5 " — had a little lamb"
9 The piper's son
12 Tract
13 Great Lake
14 Tavern drink
15 Small aperture
16 River in Siberia
17 Civil War general
18 Declares
20 Talk
22 European deer
23 Color
24 Food fish
27 1,601 (Roman)
29 Price indicators
33 Brazilian macaw
35 Store of arms
37 College course
39 Banal
40 Feminine appellation
41 Network (anat.)
43 Conducted
44 Gopher's mound
46 Possessed
48 Jack
51 Prospero's slave
52 Standard
56 Minute particle
58 Defense group (ab.)
59 Native metal
60 Upright
61 Color
61 Black (poet.)
62 Married
63 Organs of sight
64 Since (Scott.)

DOWN
1 Indonesian island
2 Colors
3 Camera's eye
4 Subsequently
5 Liquefied
6 Greek god of war
7 Oriental weight
8 Leaven
9 Story
10 Olive genus
11 Submissive
19 Holy —
21 Pumpkin eater
23 Ventilate
24 Instance
25 City in Russia
26 Water barriers
28 Solitude
30 Indigo dye
31 Fence opening
32 Winter vehicle
34 Lariat
36 Purlown
38 Exist
42 London river
45 Public storehouse
47 Eats
48 Point out
49 Unmixed
50 Organ part
51 "Old King"
52 "Rockaby,"
53 Solar disk (var.)
54 Not any
57 Plaything

FRECKLES

STOP HITTING HIM! GIVE ME THAT HANDBAG!

HE HAPPENS TO BE MY BOY FRIEND, AND HE WAS JUST DATING YOU TO MAKE ME JEALOUS!

I KNOW THAT NOW!

THEN WHY SHOULDN'T I HIT HIM WITH MY HANDBAG?

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How To Take A Bath—In French



BATHING just to get clean is passé. Take a tip from clever French women who turn their baths into glorious beauty spas. Here's the secret.

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To shower, use the bath oil on your washcloth and stroke it over your body, then rinse. Dry with a heavenly fluffy towel. Spray toilet water from head to toe, pat on bath powder generously and apply perfume to the warm areas of the body. As enchanting fragrance drifts about you and you're "showered" with attention you'll know you've had a valuable French lesson at... a bas prix.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 41 42 43 44 45 46 47 48 49 50 51 52 53 54 55 56 57 58 59 60 61 62 63 64

By MERRILL BLOSSER

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WHAT'S NEW

United Press International

A highly durable plastic "paper" is the latest item to come to market for use where long life of the paper is necessary. The developer reports the polyolefin-based sheet takes ready to bright color printing, and recommended for children's books, book covers, maps, charts, and for much-handled documents such as drivers' hunting licenses. The sheet can be lacquered or varnished or the printing. Already one children's book publishing firm is using the product.

Union Carbide Corp., Park Ave., New York, N.Y.

A new cold cream rinses with warm water. The manufacturer says it will remove effectively stubborn mascara and eye shadow, as well as makeup without leaving a greasy film on face or washcloth. It also can be tissueed off, if the woman prefers.

Pfizer division, Paquin, 33 E. 42nd St., New York, N.Y.

Now it's one set of false lashes for day, one for evening. The cosmetics maker features them says the day falsies are single ply, real hair for women who "prefer a subtle, natural look." For evening, the lashes are double-ply. Both versions come in black or black-brown blend.

Charles of the Ritz, Fifth Ave., New York, N.Y.

By HOWIE SCHNEIDER

SO LONG, STUPID!

I DID IT! I OUTSMARTED HER! I FINALLY GOT RID OF HER!

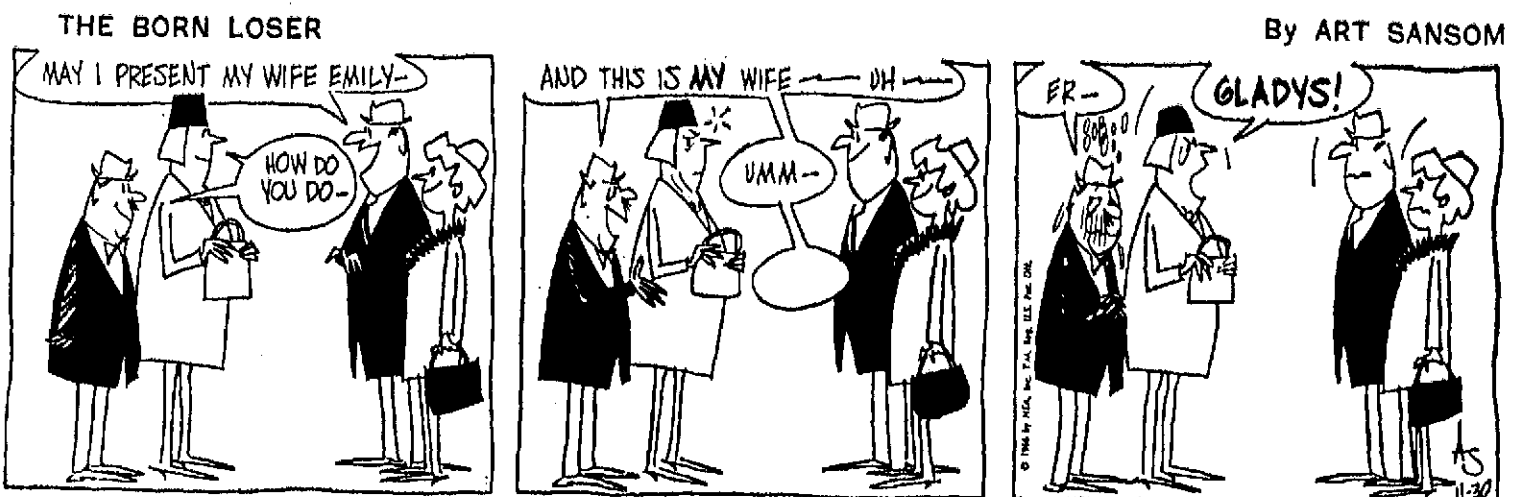
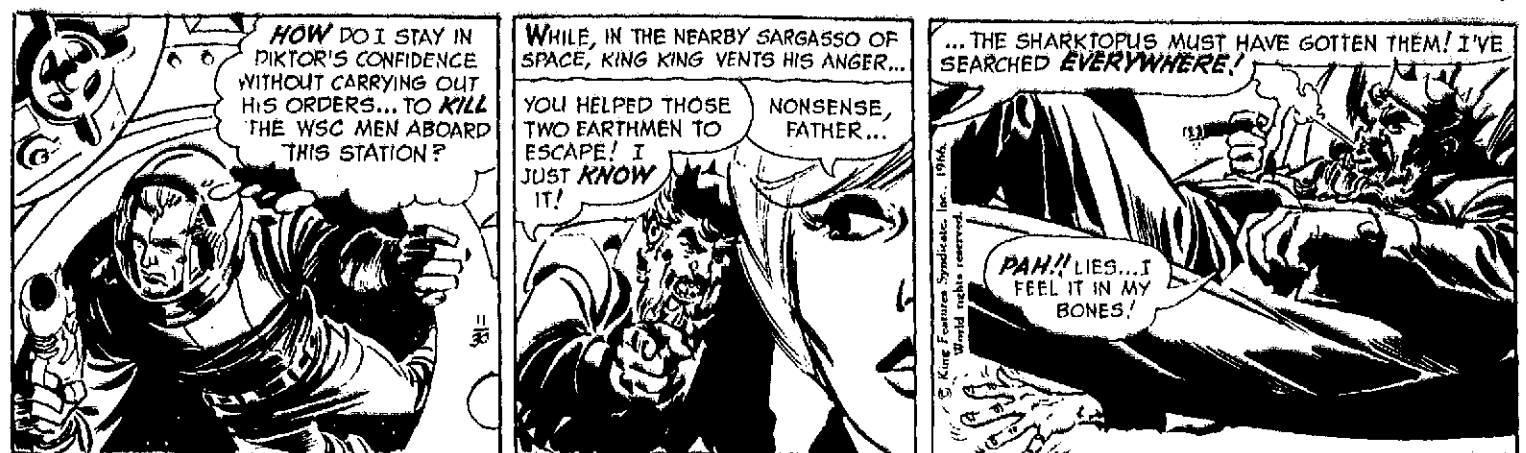
THERE'S JUST NO SUBSTITUTE FOR SMART THINKING!



"Listen to this, Margie! I've just learned that he and I use the same brand of hair spray!"



"Oh, I know you've stopped smoking, Herb. But take one for tomorrow or the next day!"



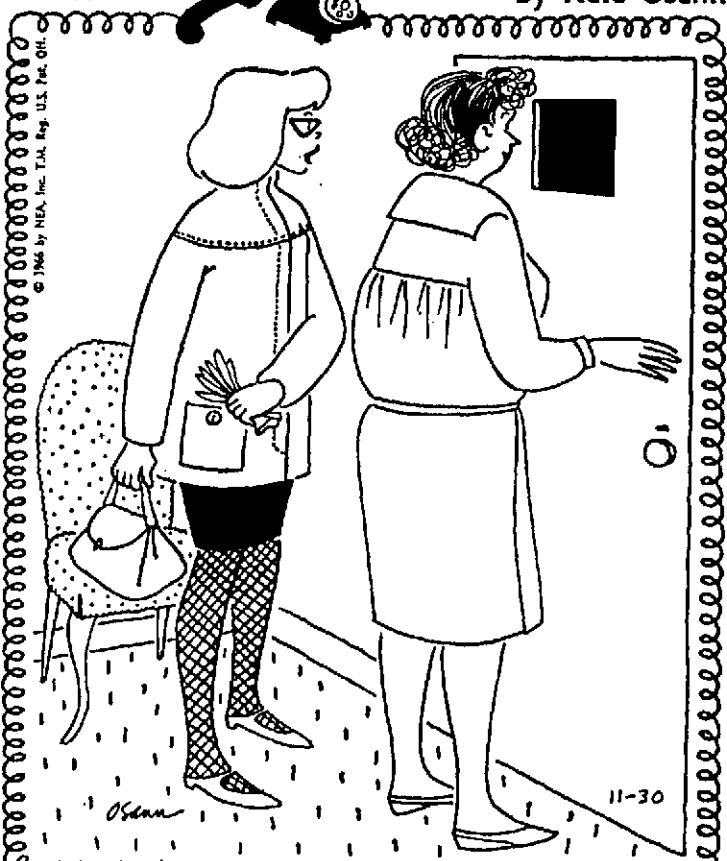
WORLD ALMANAC FACTS



The Taiping Rebellion in China (1850-1864) was one of the largest civil wars in history, according to 'The World Almanac'. Led by Hung Hsiu-ch'uan, the Taiping movement was pseudo-Christian in nature and aimed at the overthrow of the Manchu dynasty. The war affected 17 of China's 18 provinces, devastated entire areas, and resulted in the death of an estimated 20 million to 40 million people.

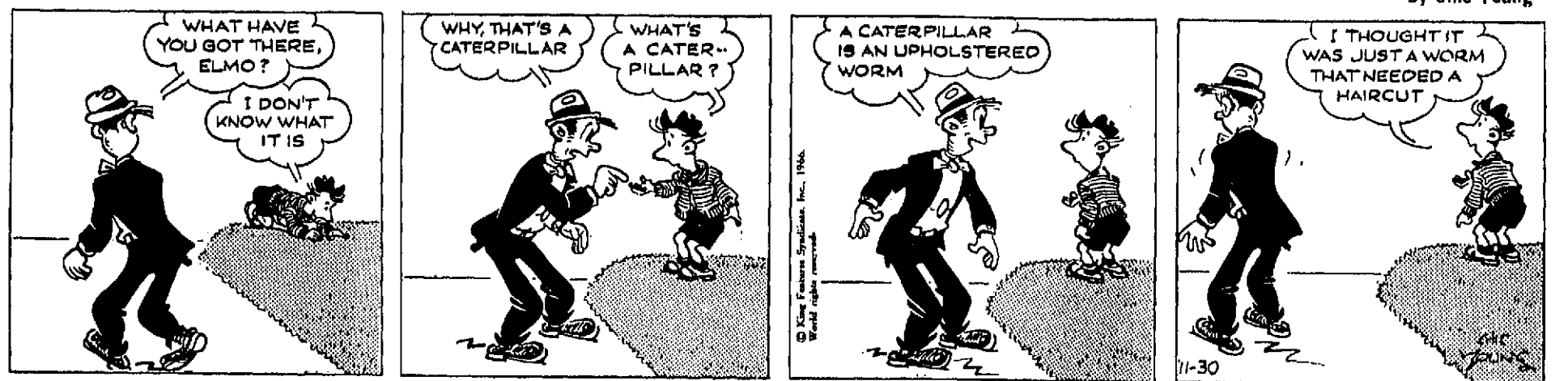
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TIZZY



"I'll say this for Herbie—he's better than nothing!"

Blondie



WIN AT BRIDGE

By Oswald & James Jacoby
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|------------------|-------|-------------|-------|
| NORTH 30 | | EAST | |
| ♠ K 9 3 2 | | ♠ Q 10 8 | |
| ♥ K J 10 6 | | ♥ 4 3 | |
| ♦ A 7 | | ♦ K J 9 8 4 | |
| ♣ 8 7 3 | | ♣ K 9 6 | |
| WEST | | SOUTH (D) | |
| ♠ 7 6 | | ♠ A 7 5 4 | |
| ♥ 9 8 5 2 | | ♥ A Q 7 | |
| ♦ Q 6 3 | | ♦ 10 5 2 | |
| ♣ Q J 10 2 | | ♣ A 5 4 | |
| Both vulnerable | | South | |
| West | North | East | South |
| Pass | 1 ♠ | Pass | 1 ♠ |
| Pass | 3 ♠ | Pass | 4 ♠ |
| Opening lead—♣ Q | | | |

Jim says: "Here is a hand from Fred Karpin's 'Psychological Strategy in Bridge' which shows deception at its best."

Oswald: "It certainly does. South finds himself in a good four spade contract. Against anything but a club opening, it depends on a 3-2 trump break because South will be able to discard one club on dummy's fourth heart and wind up losing one trick each in spades, diamonds and clubs."

Jim: "The club opening makes things tougher. West's queen of clubs is allowed to hold the first trick and South wins the second with the ace. He plays the ace and king of trumps. After both opponents follow, he will lose only one trump and one diamond in addition to the club that has already gone to the defense."

Oswald: "The ordinary declarer will go right after hearts. If hearts go three times he will get his club discard but East is able to ruff the third heart and get a club trick."

Jim: "The expert declarer who sat South also went after hearts but he used a little deception. He played his ace of hearts and led the seven of dummy's king. Then he led back the jack from dummy."

Oswald: "Put yourself in East's place. Does he know that South holds the queen of hearts? Doesn't it look as if South started with a doubleton heart and intends to ruff the jack? East is likely to figure that there is no reason for him to waste his queen of trumps here."

Jim: "Right. This East discarded. South took his queen. Returned to dummy with the ace of diamonds and discarded his club on the fourth heart. The deception had succeeded."

♥ CARD Sense ♦

Q—The bidding has been:
West North East South
3 ♠ Pass Pass
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You, South, hold:
♠ 3 2 ♥ Q J 9 8 ♦ J 10 9 8 ♣ A K ?
What do you do now?
A—Double. You aren't too sure about beating this contract but you will probably drive them to a suit where you will be happier.

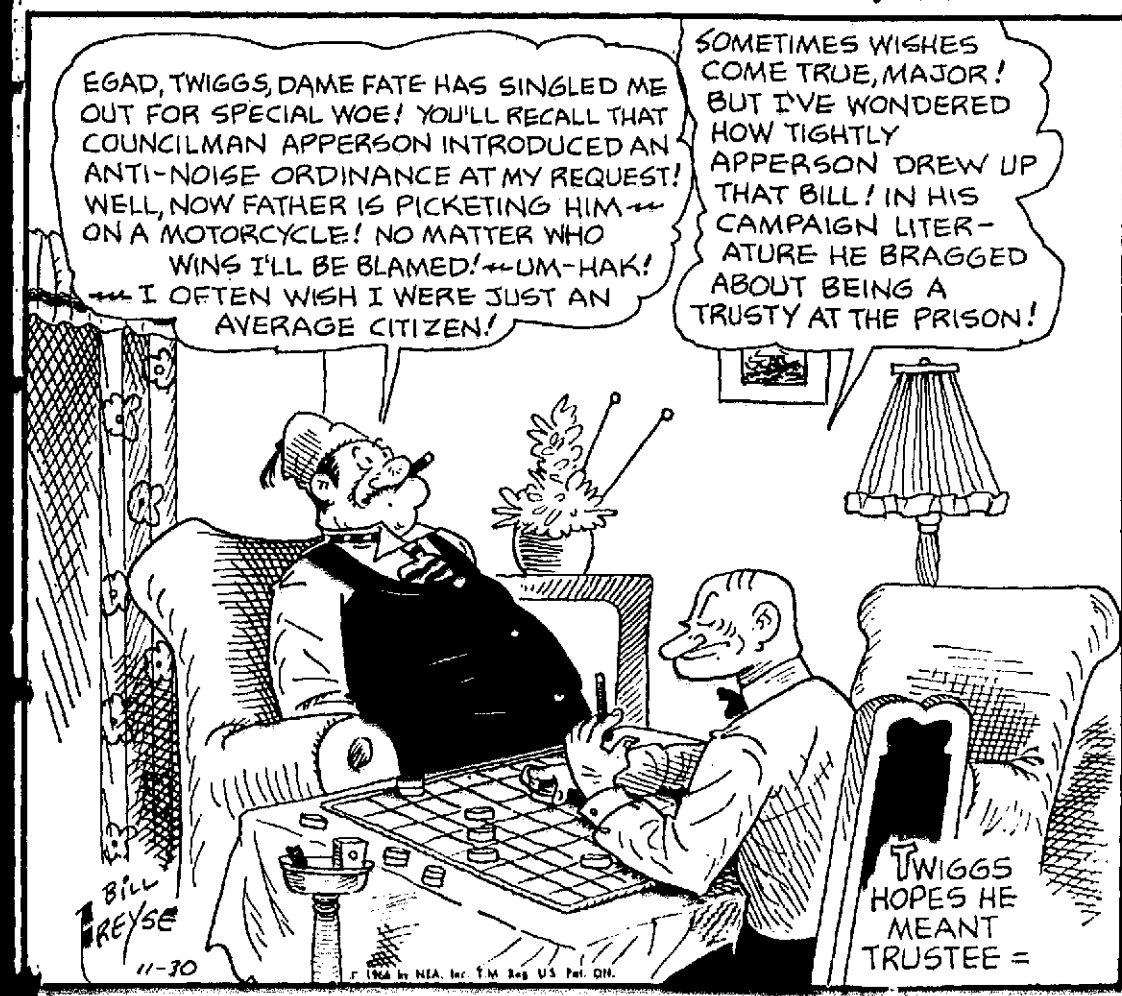
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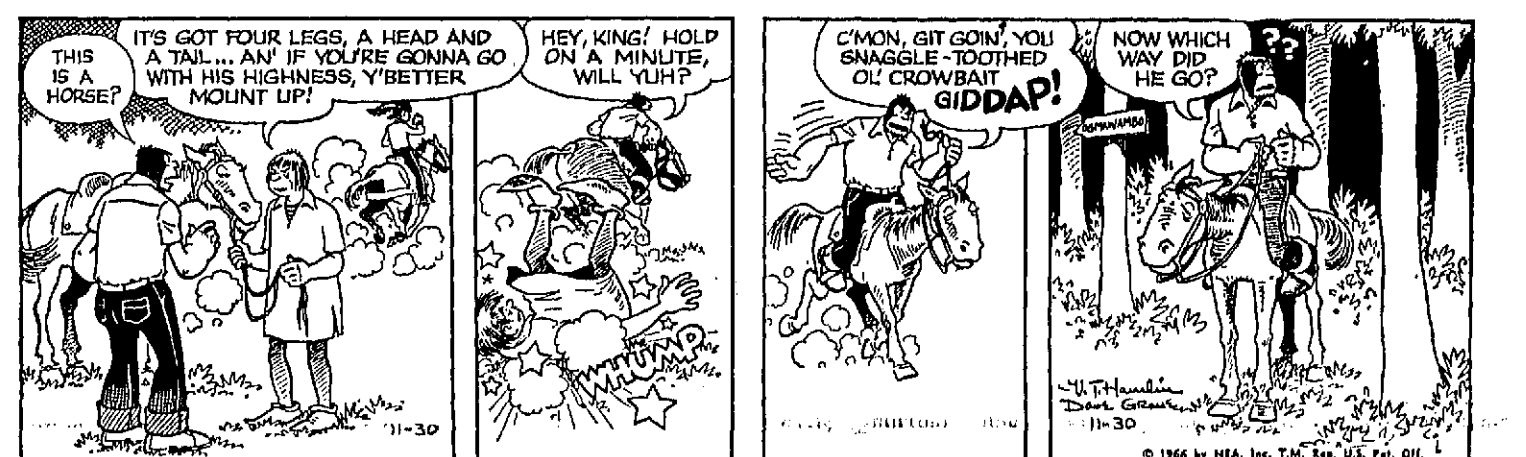


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By MAJOR HOOPLE



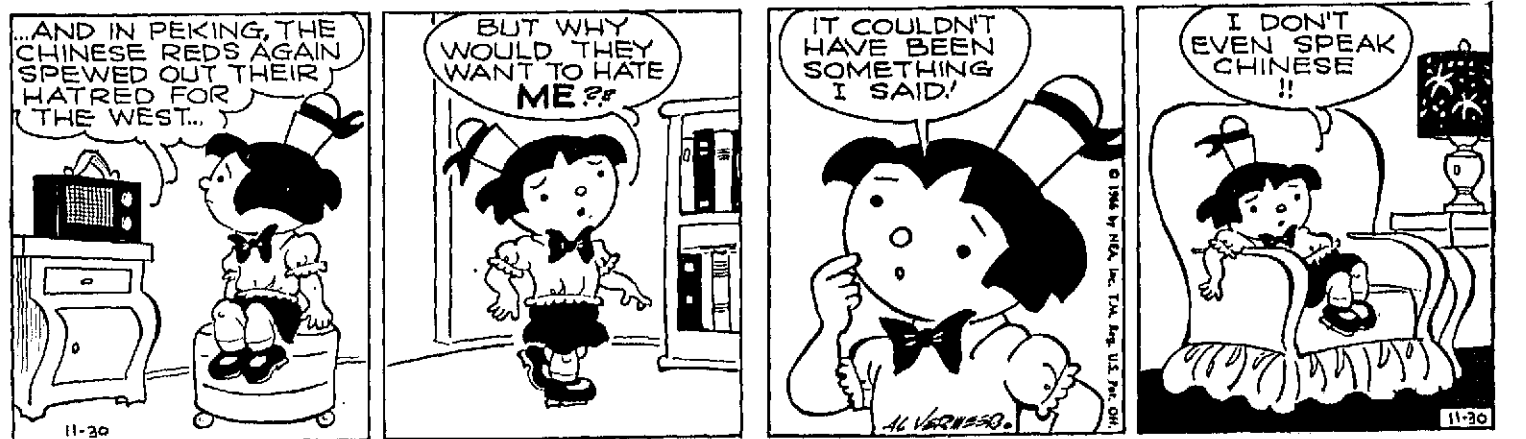
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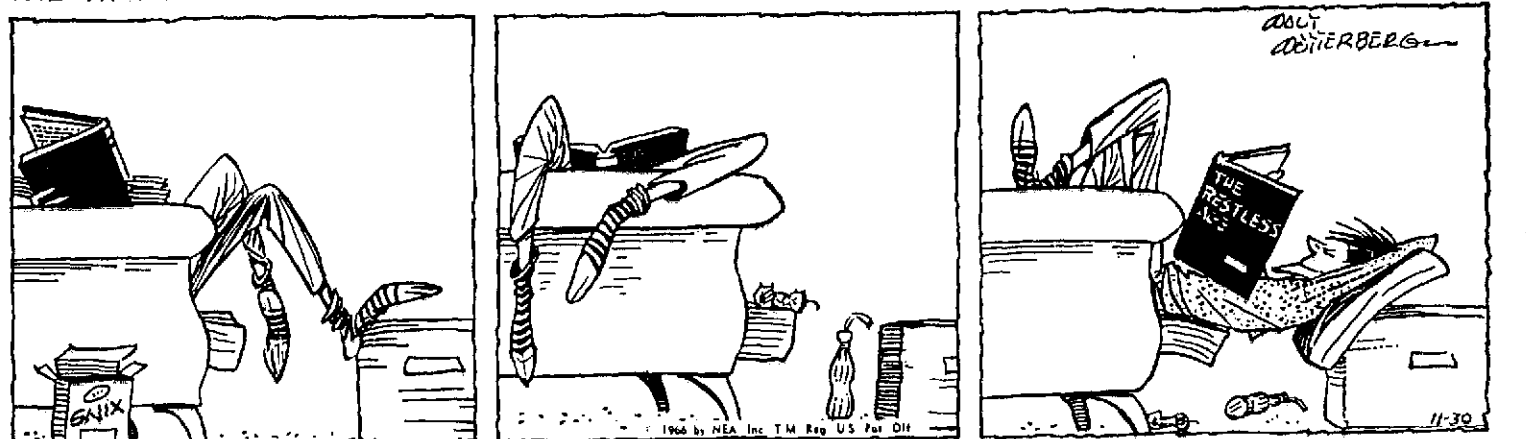
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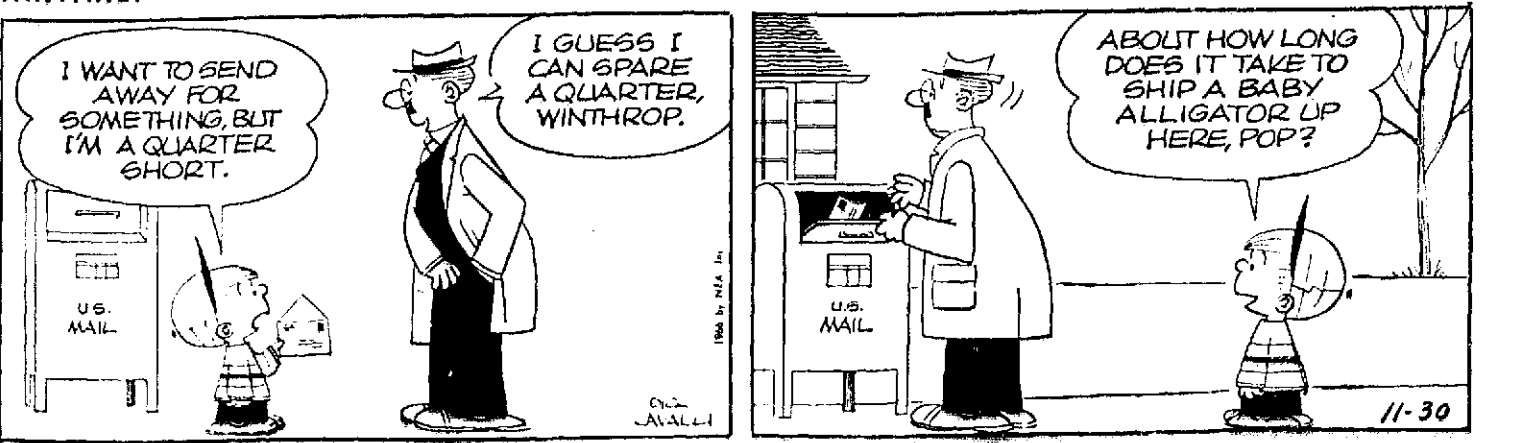
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Christmas Shopping Is Big Challenge

By JOHN CUNIFF
AP Business News Analyst
NEW YORK (AP) — Retailers are facing one of their biggest challenges ever during this Christmas shopping season. Even the experts are confused.

The big unknown factor is the consumer mind. Everyone knows he's thinking of money. But is he thinking of spending it or saving it?

There have been many years in the past, poorer years by far than 1966, when department stores and other retailers could forecast with complete confidence that sales would be higher than the previous year.

There is a very good chance that such a forecast will come true this year. The consumer has the money. There are more consumers than ever before.

But forecasting is less certain, because consumer buying habits in the past few months have become very difficult to predict. Some of the signals are even contradictory.

Through much of this year Americans received a hard-knocks course in household economics as they strove to beat inflation. By early fall, back from his expensive vacation, the consumer threw up his hands in frustration. Inflation put him in a sour mood and he still may be in it.

The factors affecting consumer habits during the past few months are a jumble of events, some of them seemingly irrelevant to the situation.

Among them: inflation, high interest rates, the fear of recession, the Viet Nam war, criticism of products from various sources and a resultant lessening of confidence in goods, an erratic stock market, the balance of payments deficit.

The lessening of confidence apparently was a cumulative thing. Through much of the summer, retail sales continued

to rise month to month. But in September the rise was broken. Sales dropped, although slightly.

Throughout the year the University of Michigan measured consumer attitudes, not by the cash register as much as by interviews. This survey, in itself, tells story.

In the last half of 1965 consumers were more confident than at any time in 20 years, the university said.

By April, the consumer was described as "guardedly optimistic," but nevertheless satisfied. He even believed the Viet Nam war made for good times at home without causing shortages of goods.

By June, the American consumer was less optimistic both about the future of business and about his own spending intentions. "Consumer optimism has weakened significantly during the past six months," the university said.

By Fall, his willingness to spend appeared to have deteriorated further. It was being noted in lower, but still high, car sales for one thing; and in shopper resistance at supermarkets. Curiously, Viet Nam no longer was considered a "good" business factor.

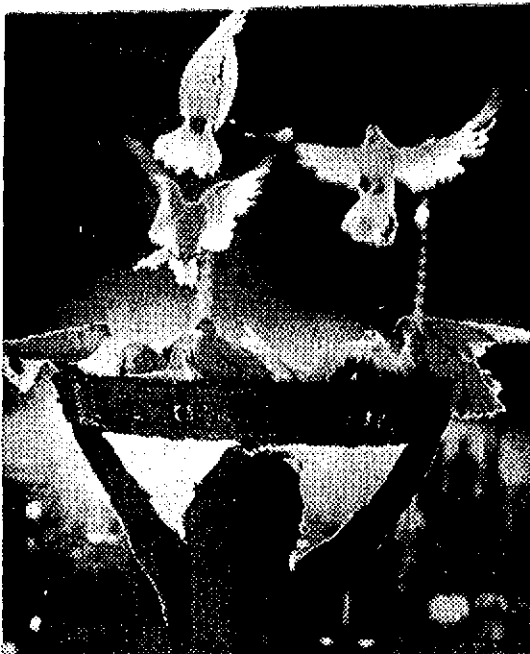
Nevertheless, the study determined that many people — despite the gloomy attitude — continued to make plans to spend large amounts of money on automobiles or home appliances. Why?

It's a good question, one of many that the poker-faced consumer isn't answering for the retailer. Only the cash register will give the answer.

Need Money for Highway Salary Hike

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Highway Commission, labeling as urgent the need for salary increases in the state Highway Department, asked for a boost of about \$7.5 million in its budget for the

From Sublime TO RIDICULOUS



is how the subject matter runs in prize-winning efforts of photographers during 1966. Exactly what makes a great photograph is hard to define. But these examples, all award winners selected for inclusion in "Photography Annual 1967," show that at least one thing is certain—anything goes when it comes to suitable subjects.

◀ A fluttering study in sharply contrasting black and white was captured by the camera of Walter Vogel at the Spanish National Circus.

▶ A gag shot but still a prize-winner, this well-armed gentleman is the creation of Alfred Gescheidt who achieved his effect by double-printing the arms.



"View in Peking, 1965" is photographer Marc Riboud's title for his fragmented—by the windows of a shop—Chinese street scene. Another face of China today is seen in Riboud's rhythmic, motion-filled picture, right, of students building a road from Nanning to Hanoi.



Radiation High-Speed Travel Risk

next fiscal year. The commission presented its budget recommendations to the state Legislative Council Monday, asking for \$140 million in 1967-68 and \$142 million in 1968-69.

The council also heard requests for budget increases from the Arkansas Municipal League and from the boards of four state training schools, including one proposal that the school be integrated.

"In many areas of the state, it can be safely said that because of higher salaries in other fields, highway employees now have to be drawn from the lower half of the labor market insofar as ability and desire to work are concerned," said John Harsh of Magnolia, a member of the Highway Commission.

Harsh said 77 engineers had left the Highway Department in the last 60 months and that more than 50 per cent of them said they left to accept a better job offer.

Harsh said the department had been able to hire only 51 engineering graduates during that period, leaving a need for additional employees.

The commission's appropriation for fiscal 1965-66 was \$132,357,880.

The commission is seeking a \$26.5 million in the next biennium for salaries of employees in the department and \$19.7 million for employees paid an hourly wage. The requests are split for each of the next fiscal years but are higher than current appropriations of \$9.6 million for regular salaries and \$6.9 million for hourly employees.

The Arkansas Municipal League must have authority to levy a sales tax to remove them from a financial crisis, said William Fleming of the league.

Fleming said cities needed increased funds in some form of state turnback until such a tax is implemented.

Mayor Clyde Andrews of Marianna urged that the council give the cities an additional \$5 million each for police and fire departments, \$3 million for streets and \$2 million for other operations.

By RALPH DIGHTON
Associated Press Science Writer
LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — Shielding supersonic transport—SST—passengers from radiation flak in the fringes of the atmosphere will be quite difficult, a Federal Aviation Agency official said today.

Dr. Pete V. Siegel, federal air surgeon, said in a talk prepared for the annual clinical meeting of the American Medical Association that studies are under way "to gain knowledge of the radiation environment so that predictions can be made of the possible damage or genetic effects on occupants" of the planes.

Supersonic transports, expected to cross continents and oceans at speeds up to 2,000 miles an hour in the 1970s, are to cruise at 70,000 feet — twice the height of current airliners. At this altitude, the atmosphere is thin and provides much less shielding against radiation from the sun and other sources in the galaxy.

One "somewhat baffling" factor, Dr. Siegel said, "revolves around the fact that we do not know much about the biological effects of heavy particles (of radiation) which, for the SST occupant, will constitute a sort of microscopic antiaircraft or 'flak' environment."

Dr. Siegel noted that SST travelers will be subject both to primary radiation and to secondary radiation sparked when primary particles hit the atmosphere, the aircraft and its occupants.

This background radiation, he said, "is one factor that makes any attempt to shield the occupant of an SST quite difficult. The weight and amount of shielding feasible for SST use which can remove these secondaries cannot adequately control the very high energy."

Highest temperature ever recorded at the South Pole was 7 above zero, during a heat wave in 1957.



THE DOCTOR'S MAILBAG
Some Types of Ruptured Eardrums Can Be Healed
By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D.
Newspaper Enterprise Assn.

Q—What can be done for a ruptured ear drum? What symptoms does it cause?

A—An ear drum may be ruptured by poking it with a sharp object, by a very loud noise, or by an acute infection in the middle ear. In the latter case an ear doctor usually makes an incision in the drum to allow drainage. Ringing in the ear and partial hearing loss are the usual symptoms.

When no infection is present and the rupture is small it is essential to keep water out of the ear and to use no ear drops. Complete healing is the rule. If there is a discharge from the ear, antibiotics are given by mouth and the ear canal is gently cleaned by a doctor. Again, complete healing is the rule.

If a large opening in the ear drum fails to close, the victim may choose to live with it if he is willing to avoid swimming and to protect his ear from infection. Recurrent infections will increase the degree of deafness.

If the victim is a child or a swimmer, an operation to cover the opening may be advisable. This operation will not, however, restore any hearing that has already been lost.

Q—I have been troubled with fungus in my ear for several years. What is the best treatment for this?

A—These infections can usually be cleared up by instilling an alcoholic solution of crystal violet, salicylic acid or bichloride of mercury in the ear. The strength of the solution should be determined by your ear doctor. It may be necessary to try different drugs before you find one to which your fungus is susceptible.

Q—What causes the legs to cramp at night and what is the best treatment?

A—Most people have cramps at times. There are several possible causes. Such

cramps are common during pregnancy. They may also be associated with diabetes, multiple sclerosis, varicose veins, calcium deficiency and flat feet. Effective treatment begins with removal of the cause if it can be found.

For immediate treatment, massage the cramped muscle, apply an icebag or walk around. For prevention several drugs under each of the following categories are available: calcium preparations, muscle relaxants, quinine preparations, nerve-blocking agents, sedatives, tranquilizers and blood vessel dilators. As is so often the case, where dozens of drugs are recommended, none can be guaranteed to give satisfactory results.

Please send your questions and comments to Wayne G. Brandstadt, M.D., in care of this paper. While Dr. Brandstadt cannot answer individual letters he will answer letters of general interest in future columns.

Offer Plan to End Grain Car Shortage

CHICAGO (AP) — A revolutionary program designed to eliminate a grain car shortage will go into effect Dec. 30, according to an announcement Monday by the Rock Island and Frisco Railroads.

The plan will enable grain shippers for the first time to reserve a block of cars to be moved on a specific date. This will enable the shipper to know when he will get his cars, how many he will get and when his shipment can be expected.

In detail, the plan calls for car reservations, for eight cars or more, to be made 15 days in advance; an incentive rate, to be known as a "booked" rate, which gets progressively attractive as higher blocks of cars are reserved; loading time of 24 hours; unloading time of 48 hours; and elimination of transit, diversion and weighing en route.

These features are intended to increase the availability of cars by decreasing the "turn-around" time, thus making cars ready for another load in a shorter period of time.

MIXUP
LIBERTY, Ky. (AP) — John Murphy's office needed a new roof so he called in a contractor and made a deal.

Checking on the progress of the job later, Murphy made quite a discovery.

His building hadn't been touched but the one next door had been stripped down to the wooden sheathing.

The workmen made an error.

The Negro Community

By Ester Hicks
Phone 4676 or 4474

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY
Observe thyself as thy greatest enemy would do, so shalt thou be thy greatest friend. — Jeremy Taylor said it.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

The young people of Bethel A. M. E. Church are asked to meet at the church at 4:00 p.m. Friday December 2nd.

Miss Ruth Kennedy will be hostess to the Anna P. Strong Federated Club in their regular monthly meeting Friday December 2nd at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Odie Draper, 711 South Spruce street. All members are urged to be present and on time. Mrs. Estelle Spearman, President.

The Humming Bees of Texarkana will appear at the Mt. Pleasant C. M. E. Church Sunday night December 4th, at 7:30. This program is being sponsored by Mrs. Alma Knox. The public is invited to attend. Rev. W. T. Keys, pastor.

Notice
Funeral Services for Reverend Ollie Benton will be held at 1 p.m. Thursday, instead of today as previously announced.

MINORS RUN TO CAPITAL

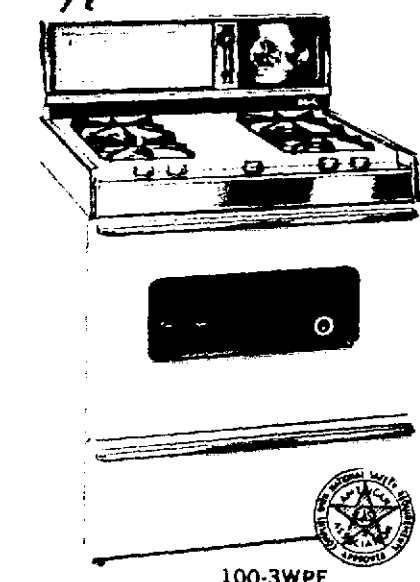
TOKYO (AP) — Tokyo police say an estimated 100 minors run away from country homes and head for the Japanese capital every day. Police say two out of three are 16-18 years old.

NOTICE
The Dry Cleaners of Hope
Announce an Increase in Cleaning Prices Beginning December 1st
Because of the Mounting Increase in Cost of Production Labor and Material

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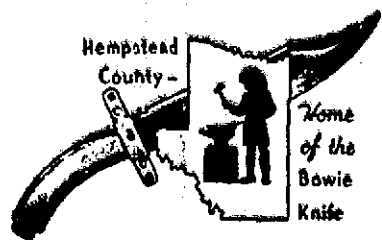
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Claude Smithy Local Fund Color Note

Local donations have been coming in slowly for the Claude Smithy Fund — honoring the family of the University of Arkansas Razorback who died of injuries.

Jack Gardner of Hope, president of the Southwest Arkansas Alumnae association, explained today that the Smithy family is in no particular need; the money collected will go to the education of his daughter's memorial.

Many small donations rather than a few big ones are the object of the campaign, and all donations are believed deductible to income tax, Mr. Gardner said.

Checks should be sent to Ray Lawrence at First National Bank of Hope, and they will be forwarded to First National Bank of Fayetteville.

The Star will begin publishing and reports in a day or two.

On Monday The Star announced the purchase of the world's newest four-color picture system — making us the first newspaper in Arkansas to install the Berkeley Direct Screen System for making four matched separation negatives, due to be installed in December with first full-color printing in January.

This morning's mail brought this appreciated note from R. Starr, chief of bureau of the Associated Press, Little Rock:

"Congratulations on your pioneering venture into color. You'll find, I'm sure, that reader response to color is excellent. It's certainly going to insure you a dressy newspaper."

"I'd like to see the new equipment in operation and I'll run down there in January when you get it installed."

Solid-Fuel Rocket Gives New Promise

EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — A 150-ton rocket has been launched in a manner which scientists say uses energy and offers great promise for large solid-fuel rockets.

The rocket engine was ignited at partial power Tuesday at the bottom of an 80-foot tube. Gas pressure built up behind it, and the rocket roared out like a dart from a blowgun or a bullet from a rifle.

The 10-foot diameter rocket is tethered so that it would rise only 500 feet and then fall to the ground.

Rubber Tree Stand-in for Christmas

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — This year soon will have its own Christmas tree lanes. But like any other things in the film capital, the trees won't be what you see.

The City Council voted Tuesday to institute a \$90,000 tree-planting program.

The trees will have supporting wires which will be used to string colored lights during the Christmas season.

However, the 225 Christmas trees won't be traditional firs. Planned instead is a form of rubber tree called Floraus Nitmoda.

Be an Early Bird



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TO CHRISTMAS

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\$1,000 in Shoplifter Loot



— Star photo, Donal Parker

On display at city hall Tuesday was some of the alleged shoplifter loot taken from Hope stores by Melba Muldrew, 44, Negro, and recovered by local police. The total theft amounted to \$1,000 police said.

In municipal court Tuesday the suspect, a resident of Nevada county, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to 30 days in jail, with 25 days suspended on good behavior.

The woman was caught Monday at Second and Main Sts. by City Officers Carl Ward and Richard

Rowe, on a charge of taking \$28.49 in merchandise from the Kephap, Scott, and Morgan & Lindsey stores. She was further identified as having shoplifted dry goods last Saturday.

City police found other allegedly stolen items at her mother's house on Dairy St. when authorities obtained a warrant and searched it, being accompanied by Hope Police Chief Alvin Willis and Sheriff Horace Hale of Nevada county. They recovered two carloads of loot estimated to be worth \$1,000.

Free Nations Oppose Viet Nam War

By TOMMY YATES
Associated Press Writer
LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Sen. J. William Fulbright, D-Ark., said Tuesday night he felt very free nations approve of the United States involvement in the Viet Nam war.

Fulbright, in a taped television interview, made a comparison with the Korean conflict which he believed was supported by most free nations.

The senator, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, said the chief problem in the war is bringing North Viet Nam to the conference table. He said a halt in bombing would be a preliminary to negotiations.

"I would rather settle the war by negotiations than by all-out war," he said, "and I think the Viet Cong should be admitted as a party to negotiations."

Fulbright said Red China has kept out of the war because "she doesn't want to have a war with us."

"I don't think she (Red China) will enter until we take North Viet Nam or invade it, or unless she is invited by North Viet Nam," said Fulbright, and "I don't think it's in the interest of this country to have a war with Red China."

On South Viet Nam Premier Nguyen Kao Ky's statement that he would never recognize the Viet Cong, Fulbright said, "I wouldn't accept Premier Ky's word as the last word on political policies."

The senator said he would like to see much greater importance given to the United Nations.

Kids Demonstrate How to Steal Car

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Police report the arrest of two young auto thieves so tiny one squatted on the floor to work the gas and brake while the other, perched atop a wash pan on the driver's seat, did the steering.

Inspector H.R. Ray said Tuesday the youngsters, 9 and 13, admitted using this technique to take 10 stolen automobiles on joyrides.

"We didn't believe they could do it," Ray said, "until they demonstrated their system."

The system came to grief however when one of the boys pushed the gas pedal instead of the brake. The car rammed a tree and police collared them.

Africa Farm Visitor Due Here Dec. 2

George M. B. Ngongi from Victoria, Cameroon, in West Africa, will be visiting in Hempstead County from December 2, to December 9, Calvin Caldwell, county agent said.

Mr. Ngongi is an Extension worker. His present position is senior agricultural assistant. His duties include giving supervision to all staff and labor workers.

Purpose of the visit to Hempstead County will be to study organizational patterns, programs and methods being used by the Arkansas Agricultural Extension Service, and the importance of community services in relation to Extension work, as governmental agencies, vocational agriculture, vocational home economics, school programs and other youth programs.

ASC Vote Results Listed

Farmers recently named to serve as the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) County Committee are:

R. B. Arnold, Community C-H, chairman; H. B. Gilbert and Luther Spicer, were elected to the committee last year for three and two years, respectively.

Mr. Arnold was elected this year for a three year term on the committee. Alternates elected were: Moss Rowe of the Washington-Ozan Community and W. J. Schooley of the Hope Community.

The 1966 election was held at a county convention November 28, 1966, at Hope. Electors were farmers chosen as convention delegates at recent ASC community committee elections throughout the county.

Chairman Arnold points out that the ASC county and community farmer-committees are in charge of local administration of such national farm programs as the Agricultural Conservation Program, the feed grain program, the voluntary wheat program, the upland cotton diversion program, acreage allotments and marketing quotas, the National Wool Program, commodity price-support loans, and storage facility loans.

The ASCS county office at the Federal-Post Office Building in Hope is headquarters for the county committee, and serves as the farmers' local contact for business connected with participation in the programs administered by the committees. These programs encourage conservation and increase farm returns by means of price supports and market supply-management, as well as by payments.

Mekong's Delta Main War Theater

By PETER ARNETT
SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — South Viet Nam's Mekong River delta looks like an Oriental picture postcard land.

But to U.S. military planners, the lush delta is the ugliest part of Viet Nam, a place to be avoided unless there is no other choice.

There is no other choice now. The beautiful delta might well be where the ugliest chapter of the Viet Nam war is written for the United States.

The problem in the Mekong Delta is that there are too many people, an estimated 7 million clustered along the myriad estuaries of the Mekong River that break out like veins across the countryside.

An aggressive American military stance among these millions might label the U.S. forces a colonialist army, a tag avoided up to now because American forces have been deployed where there are fewer people and more room to fight the war.

The fantastic firepower of American artillery pieces and fighter bombers that has meant the difference between defeat and victory in many battles to the north could wreak havoc among the delta's crowded civilian population.

American troops will find the enemy harder to identify in the delta than anywhere else in the country.

U.S. infantrymen will soon move into the delta because the stalemate there between Communist forces and the Vietnamese army threatens to negate the hard-won American military gains to the north in War Zone C, the central plateau, the highlands and the northern coast.

The Viet Cong's extensive delta organization continues to feed large quantities of men, supplies and money to units further north.

According to current American thinking, two American infantry brigades will move south initially.

But a really effective U.S. military deployment into the region would require a full infantry division, with supporting units, at an initial cost of at least a billion dollars.

Anything less than that effort, according to the best informed American and Vietnamese sources, would result in a mere picking at the edges of the problem, without gaining any lasting change.

Based on the estimated cost of the Viet Nam war \$25 billion in the current fiscal year, the billion-dollar expense sheet for a divisional move into the delta is realistic and might even be low, the best informed U.S. sources say. If the American effort grows larger, the costs would rise proportionately, they say.

Once American troops enter the delta they will face countless months of bitterly frustrating war. Their patience will be strained and endurance tested to a degree not yet encountered in Viet Nam.

The delta war prospects are bleak, which accounts for the reluctance of U.S. planners to make any southern move before this time.

Years of war have taught the Viet Cong every aspect of guerrilla war. The bedraggled farmer in black pajamas and straw hat stealthily laying ambush to an unwary government troop column is not a cliché in the delta. Hardcore enemy troops rarely wear uniforms, and no North Vietnamese regulars have been encountered south of the Saigon area.

The delta battalions know every inch of the countryside they fight upon, splitting into squads and using even public buses between villages, their weapons hidden among vegetable bags. Deployed across a province, one battalion can strike at a score of places and reassemble next afternoon.

In opposition to American troops in the delta will be 22 well-trained Viet Cong battalions armed with recoilless rifles, heavy machine guns and light automatic weapons. In addition, there is a large guerrilla force, bringing the enemy's delta force up to an estimated strength of 85,000 armed men.

Santa Claus Ushers in the Season of Unique Double Talk

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (AP) — Now that Santa Claus is on the horizon, it is time for a quick brush-up on our Christmas double talk.

There is no other season of the year that puts so great a strain on our vocabulary of appreciation and good will.

Double talk, you will remember, is the art of camouflaging a real meaning or a true meaning. Here are a few tested samples of yuletide double talk that should get you by handily.

"Of course, it's the spirit of the thing that counts." But I never realized they made diamonds quite that small.

"Yes, I'm Santa Claus, little girl." Who do you think I look like in this get-up — Charles de Gaulle or Ho Chi Minh?

"Are you sure you've been a good little boy?" This little brat could cause trouble even in a straitjacket.

"Sure I been a good boy, Santa." They wouldn't let this fat fraud give me a life detector test, would they?

"Tell me what you really want for Christmas, darling." My friendly neighborhood loan shark will probably die laughing when I tell him what I want to borrow the money for.

"Oh, just anything will do for little old me." I'll be lucky to get anything at all from little old cheapskate you.

"Wasn't it nice of them to remember to send us a Christmas card?" What a bother. Now I'll have to mail them a New Year's card.

"We're featuring this perfume at a pre-Christmas price of \$25 an ounce." After Christmas we sell it as mouth wash at a dollar a pound.

"This is just a small token of appreciation, George, for all the services you've performed for our family during the past year."

"Why it is, just because we live in an apartment, we have to pay blackmail to this bum?"

"Could you help me find a really unusual gift that would surprise my wife?" Perhaps a sequine claymore mine, or a fur-covered booby trap.

"Gee, boss, I know the rest of the staff joins me in thanking you for that unexpected Christmas bonus." Now we can all buy a one-ounce larger turkey for dinner.

"Just what I wanted — a necktie." I need some kind of rag to polish the car with.

"Christmas always makes me feel so sad." Maybe a couple more of these bourbon old-fashioned will cheer me up.

"Daddy, I can't find one of my stockings to hang by the chimney. Can't I hang up one of yours instead?" Yours will hold over so much more.

"Yes, Virginia, there's a Santa Claus." But the old bubbleheart has been spending so much of the year with us lately that he might as well put a "for rent" sign on the North Pole.

By RONALD THOMSON
LONDON (AP) — Farmworker Bob Brewis roared with laughter when the doctor told him he was Britain's first recorded case of a human being with foot and mouth disease.

"My only worry was that I might have to be destroyed," cracked burly Bob.

Brewis, 34, a bachelor, was working on his brother's farm at Yellingdon in Northumberland four months ago when he contracted the virus that kills cattle.

An epidemic of foot and mouth disease was raging in the northern county. Nearly 45,000 sheep, cattle and pigs had to be shot.

"I felt groggy one day and thought I was going to get a dose of flu," Brewis said Tuesday.

"The doctor examined me and saw some blisters on my hands and mouth. I thought he was joking when he said I might have the cattle trouble. We both had a good laugh."

"I was banged into a hospital at Newcastle for a week but there was nothing much the matter with me. It just seemed funny."

Tests made at the hospital were forwarded to the Ministry of Agriculture's Animal Disease Research Center.

Three Hempstead County Students sang with the Southern State College Concert Choir in concerts for the Magnolia Lions Club Nov. 22 and Stephens High School assembly Nov. 29. The local choir members were Virginia Edwards, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Edwards; Gayle Williams, daughter of Mrs. Lucy Mae Williams, both of Hope, and Brenda Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Evans of Rt. 4, Hope. High spot of the semester for the larger college Choir Society will be the presentation in the Field House of Handel's Messiah at 3:30 PM Sunday, Dec. 11.

2nd Lt. Bobby L. Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Burns of Rt. 1, Patmos, was recently assigned as the executive officer and personal aid to the commanding officer of the U. S. Army Dental Detachment, Ft. Bliss, Texas. He is a 1962 graduate of Hope High School and a graduate of Henderson State Teachers College.

Our Lady of Good Hope Catholic Church Altar Society will have a rummage sale Friday and Saturday, Dec. 2 and 3 in the building on South Main street,

formerly occupied by Gentry Printing Company.

Hope Mens' Golf Assn. will hold its regular monthly meeting Thursday night at Hope Country Club. Dinner will be served at 7:PM.

Freeda's Angus Farms, Hope, recently sold an Aberdeen-Angus bull and six registered-Angus cows to Ozelle Richardson, Warren, Ark.

Miss Phoebe Johnson of Prescott was selected as Southwest Arkansas Junior Miss at Ashdown Saturday night. Elaine Hefner of Foreman was named for the personality award; Linda Abney of Ashdown and Kay Vandiver of Prescott received bids as delegates to the State Pageant in December.

Outstanding high school seniors from a seven county area vie for district honors to represent the area in the Arkansas Junior Miss Pageant. Last year, Gayle Williams of Hope was a representative from the southwest. The purpose of this state program is to seek out the ideal high school senior girl in Arkansas and the nation.

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Order Truce on Christmas and New Year

By ROBERT TUCKMAN
SAIGON, South Viet Nam (AP) — Scattered small fighting flickered across South Viet Nam today as the seven allied nations announced they would observe short truces at Christmas and New Year's and over the Vietnamese New Year in February.

While the relative lull in ground fighting carried through a fourth day, Vietnamese troops reported freeing 14 Vietnamese civilians from a Viet Cong prison camp in the Mekong Delta.

Vietnamese headquarters said the Viet Cong murdered four other civilians in the camp and that one of the liberated prisoners died of wounds after being freed.

U.S. headquarters reported a mistaken artillery shelling by a unit of the U.S. 1st Infantry Division killed three Vietnamese civilians and wounded 19 more.

A spokesman said an artillery battery fired nine 105mm shells into the town of Tan Uyen, 20 miles northeast of Saigon early today. The spokesman said it was a "very regrettable accident" caused by an error in computing firing data.

The same town was accidentally bombed last July 1 by three U.S. Air Force planes whose bombs killed five Vietnamese civilians and wounded 43. Tan Uyen, a town of several thousand persons, is just north of the Bien Hoa air base.

In the air war today, high-flying B52 bombers made two raids on suspected North Vietnamese troop concentrations 17 miles northwest and 24 miles southwest of the U.S. Army Special Forces camp at Plei Djeng, in the central highlands.

Monsoon rains persisted over North Viet Nam, restricting American pilots to 50 bombing missions Tuesday against targets in the Hanoi and Dien Bien Phu areas and in the southern panhandle. They reported heavy damage to a radar site 39 miles east of Dien Bien Phu and an antiaircraft radar site 76 miles northwest of Hanoi, six antiaircraft gun positions knocked out 16 miles southeast of Vinh in the panhandle and seven cargo barges damaged 25 miles south-east of Thanh Hoa.

Enemy groundfire knocked down a small American observation plane 91 miles northeast of Saigon Tuesday and two U.S. servicemen aboard were killed, U.S. headquarters reported.

The three truce periods announced by Premier Nguyen Cao Ky's government — two days each at Christmas and New Year's and four days during the lunar New Year — include cessation of U.S. air strikes and offshore naval bombardment against North Viet Nam.

Ky's announcement, confirmed by a presidential assistant at the Texas White House, followed a Viet Cong announcement Saturday of 48-hour cease-fires during Christmas and New Year's. The Communists also were expected to join in the truce for the lunar New Year — Viet Nam's festival of the Tet — is they do every year.

The truce agreement announced by Ky covers all anti-Communist allies forces in Viet Nam including those of the United States, Australia, New Zealand, South Korea, Thailand and the Philippines.

Presidential assistant George Christian said at the Texas White House that President Johnson participated in the decision and was notified in advance of the announcement.

Woman Dies in Traffic Crash Here

Mrs. Marvin Bailey, 53, was pronounced dead on arrival at a local hospital this morning at 11:30 a.m. following an automobile and truck accident at the corner of North Hervey and West Avenue B. Driver of the truck was Robert Troy Mattor of Cullin, Alabama.

Investigating officers were Neal and Shirley of Hope Police Dept. and State Trooper Robert Neel. No charges have been filed.